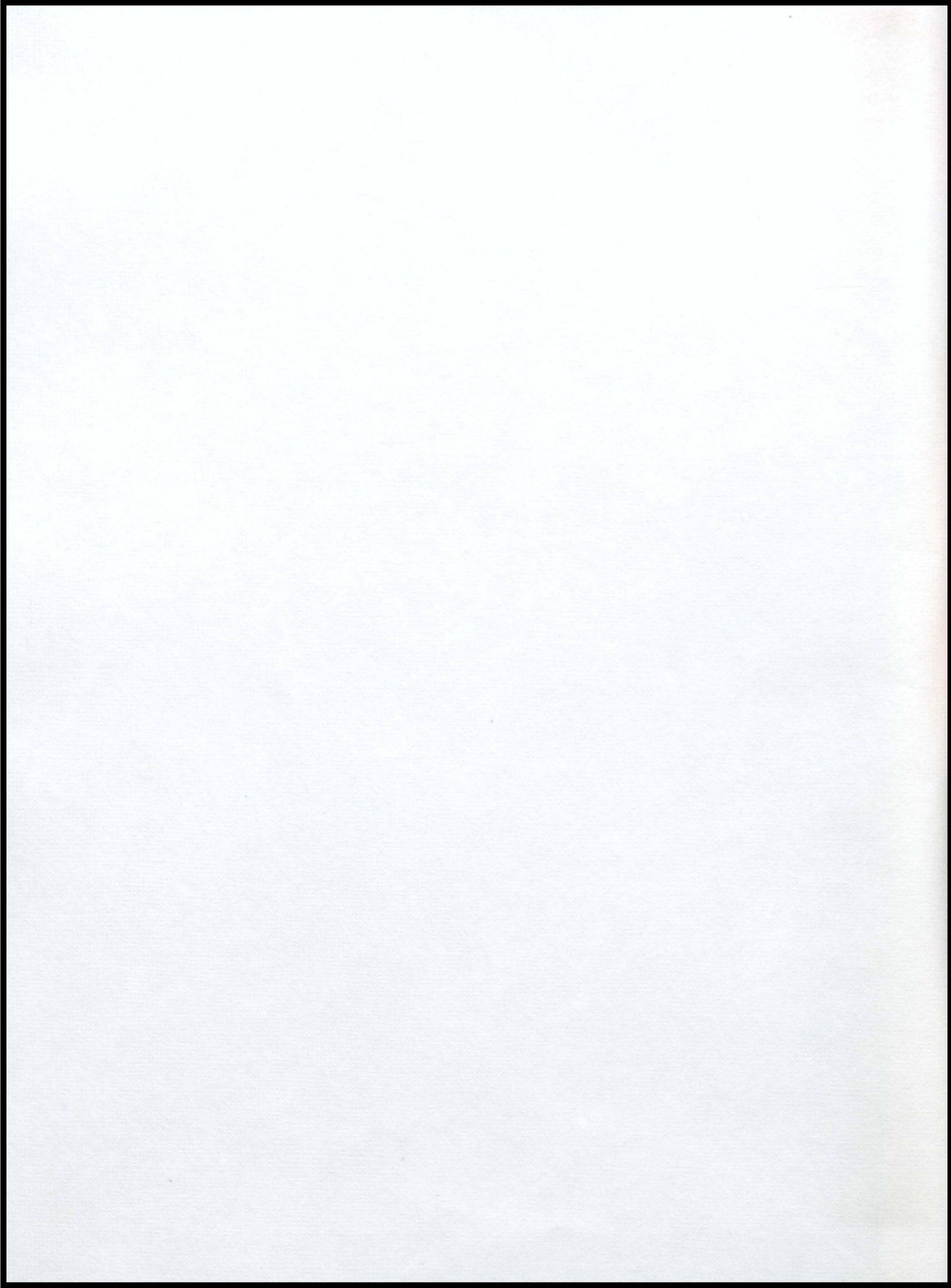
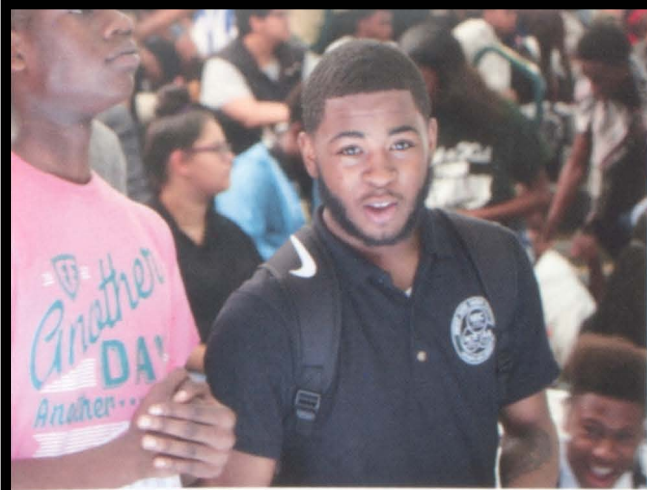




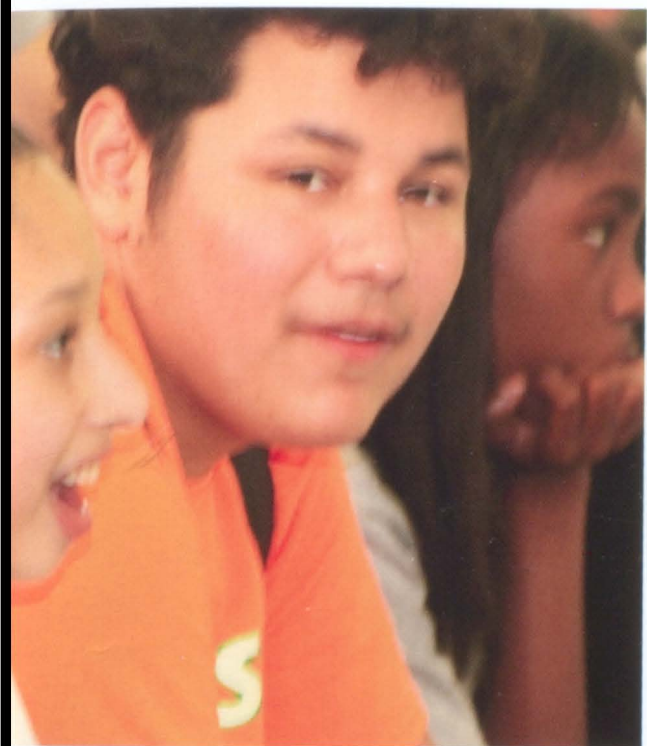
Roughriders For Life







Home of the Roughriders



West Side High School

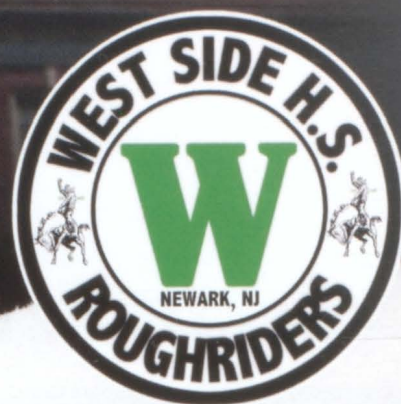


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Principal's Message



One of the areas of greatest concerns to me, especially as it relates to you - Generation Z - is your overwhelming obsession for whatever feels good. Ironically, this is exactly the opposite of what creates successful businesses and leaders. In fact, how you handle adversity may be the greatest predictor of future success.

So, let's start this conversation by accepting that we are not entitled to anything and recognize instead that most successful adults arrived where they are today by developing the skills and knowledge that are most valued by society and managing how those skills and knowledge are leveraged to earn a living wage. And while many of you would like to think that luck plays a role, please note that luck cannot be relied on, as it strikes infrequently and, generally, not in the same place twice.

In spite of what you have been told, there is no magic pill that you can take to become successful, but there are some reliable strategies that you may follow.

For those of you who have chosen to go directly to college:

- Attend all classes in their entirety and ARRIVE on TIME.
- Read and prepare for each class BEFORE the class begins.
- Don't be afraid to try new study techniques.
- Take courses aligned to your career pathway.
- Do not procrastinate and turn in work on time.
- Seek out help from your advisors, if you find yourself stuck.
- Work hard! - There will be lots of time for leisure and relaxation after you've graduated and secured your dream job.

For those of you that will be job hunting:

- Get into the professional mindset - dress for success!
- Prepare for your interview - learn as much about the company or business before going to the interview.
- Don't believe that you can't get a good job without experience - most good companies expect that new employees will require training and have invested heavily in job training - so go ahead and apply.
- If you didn't hear back, don't assume the worst when your email isn't answered immediately. Be courteous and persistent when you follow up.
- "There's Nothing Out There for Me" - It's easy to feel discouraged during your job search, especially in uncertain economic times, with lots of jobs being filled even before they have been posted. Networking is key. Now is the time to put your social media skills to work - Network, Network, Network!

For those of you who have chosen to pursue a career before or while going to college:

- Attendance and punctuality matters - don't take too many days off and arrive on time.
- Dress appropriately for your jobs.
- Customer service is key! - Practice being assertive while being courteous.

The road ahead is difficult and challenging and there will be times that you will feel like giving up, but if that happens, think about your Rough Rider family and remember that we are here to help support your dreams, even after you have left us. Together we can build a community that truly supports each other's dreams and aspirations. So stay in touch, join the alumni association, and become a part of a family and community that exists to provide the nurturing and support that you need as you progress on your pathway to success.

Larry Rankissoon

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Troy Long
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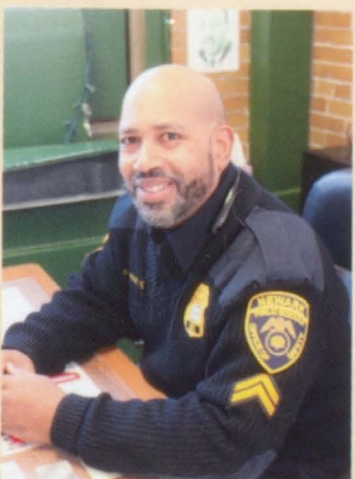
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Gary Taylor
Head of Athletics



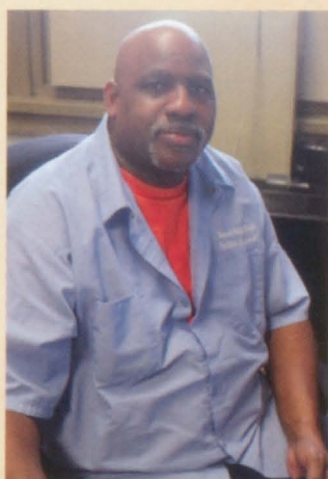
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Anthony Baskerville
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CLASS of 2018





Home of the Roughriders



Dear Class of 2018

Four years ago you as well as I entered West Side High School embarking on a new journey and discovering a new world of possibilities. Over the past four years I have witnessed those possibilities become realities and the journey lead you to becoming intelligent, responsible young adults ready to conquer the world with grit, enthusiasm and that **ROUGH RIDER** Spirit. I am confident that each of you will blaze your own trail and leave your mark on the world. Although it sadness me to see you go, I am elated that I was allowed the opportunity to see you through your last year here at West Side high School. Congratulations!! too each of you. You are trailblazers, you have the strength, knowledge and passion to change the world never let anyone tell you different. Never stop dreaming or believing that your dreams can and will come true. Never forget that you are a **ROUGH RIDER** you are invincible you persevere in the face of hardship. Lastly, Always remember, "Some Have a Story", but West Side High School Class of 2018 "Has a **LEGACY**".

Once a Rough Rider Always A Rough Rider!!!!!!!!!!!!!!
Love Always Ms. Cross
Senior Class Advisor, 2018



Your transition into adulthood will be filled with many diversions from the course as fate puts all the pieces together. Be ready for change but also have a set amount of goals you want to accomplish., The most rewarding paths are the ones with a prize at the end, even if that road splits or becomes a mountain. Know what you want and have some idea of how you will get there. You may sometimes take a different course but never stop moving forward.

"I expect to pass through this world but once. Any good therefore that I do, or any kindness that I can show to any fellow creature, let me do it now. Let me not defer or neglect it, for I shall not pass this way again." ~ Stephen Grellet

Mrs. Ragoo, Class Advisor

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Top Ten



Nemrah Akram



Segun Ajibade



Alicia Atangana



Elizabeth Mensah



Samuel Hayford



Konyinsola Haliru



Rondel Henry



Zoe Copeland



Oluwatosin Kadiri



Mohammed Abubkar

Valedictorian



Nemrah Akram

Growing up, I have realized that change is the only constant thing in life. As we get older, we mature and are filled with much more responsibility. For me, senior year was an eye opener. I had so much going on in my life and so many new responsibilities. During my first three years of high school, I was not stressed at all, but when senior year hit, I had all the stress in the world. I had to fill out college applications, file for FAFSA, and maintain good grades in my AP classes. In a few months, we would head out to the real world like everyone says. We would all go our separate ways to discover something new in our lives. We may not see our peers again but we will always remember them.

As a freshman, everyone said high school will pass in the blink of an eye and I would just laugh. I did not understand what they meant or what they were feeling. Now, I understand what they were trying to say. My four years in high school passed in the blink of the eye. In one moment I was in New Utrecht and in West Side in the other. I spent two years in New Utrecht and they were great. Coming to West Side, I did not think I would meet some amazing people and have such great friends.

As a senior, I look back at my four years in high school and think of everything I would have done differently, but I always try to stop myself. We should remember high school, but we should focus more on the next four years in our life whether you are in college or somewhere else. In the next four years, our lives will completely change, but we do not know how. As seniors, we imagine all sorts of things about college, but we will not believe anything until we get there. Our next four years can be great or be unpleasant, however all that depends on us and our choices. We can only hope to make the correct choices.

I hope we all are successful in whatever we are doing, whether it be college or career. In our separate paths, we may see each other later on. Let's take these beautiful memories of high school and make our lives successful.

Salutatorian



Segun Ajibade

In this world, people experience success and failure in life, it is a fact that needs to be accepted to face the real world. I was once scared of failure to the point where I would not try anything new that involved a great risk of fiasco, I soon realized that in order to be successful I needed to take the risk and this meant overcoming my fear. However, my "background" and my core values which are responsibility, understanding, and strength helped me in overcoming my fear of failure. Also, my "Mom" has always been a motivating figure in my life, her strength, selflessness, and love have always been an

inspiring cause that contributed to my growth. Through actions, my "Mom" helped me to realize that failure was not a fear but my motivator. When I do not reach goals I set for myself I am motivated to try harder. I believe understanding one's strength and weakness leads to a good ramification that makes an individual aware of his or her responsibility.

According to a learned man, I benefit from, I say people are of four categories, the first one, the individual you benefit from (your teacher), the second, your equal (you benefit positively from each other), the third, the individual that is lower than you (the person that wants to benefit from you), the fourth, the individual that's of no benefit, I distance myself from them to always stay on track.



SENIORS



BELIEVE YOU CAN
AND YOU'RE
HALFWAY THERE

THEODORE ROOSEVELT

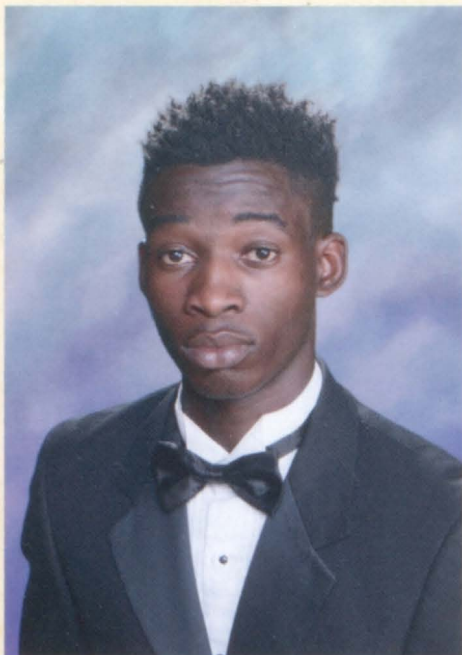
Believe
in yourself
— & —
you will be
Unstoppable



ABINOKHAUNO,
KELVIN
"Kel"

Essex County College

"When Life Gives You
Lemons, Eat Them.
And Leave The World
Wondering What Is
Wrong With You. "



ABOABA,
OLUFISAYO



ABUBAKAR,
MOHAMMED



ADENEKAN,
AISHAT

"Be like the flower that
gives its fragrance
to even the hand that
crushes it."



ADEREMI,
SIMBIAT
"Simbi"

Rutgers University

"I would say I look
better In person but I
don't."



AKINLO,
ADEBAMBO
"BB"

Essex County College

"The goal of education
is not to increase the
amount of knowledge
but to create the
possibilities for a child
to invent and discover"



ADU,
MABEL
"M. Kay"

Rutgers University

"Success is the result
of consistently
achieving small goals."



AGANA,
LETICIA

NJCU

"Ignorance is not
Defense"



AJIBADE,
SEGUN
"Abdul Rasheed"

New Jersey City
University

"Take advantage of
our matters before four
other matters: your
youth before you
become old; your
health, before you fall
sick; your wealth,
before you become
poor"



ALIU,
SONIA
"Bella"

The College of New
Jersey

"You never know how
strong you are until being
strong is the only option
you've got!"



ANDREW,
AXELLE
"Axelle"

Caldwell University

"We will be great."



ARCHIBALD,
TYRONE



ARLINE,
JALEN

William Patterson



ARMSTRONG,
ARMANI
"ManiBandz"

Best Care College

"When you know you
are GREAT, you
have no need to
HATE."



ARMSTRONG,
TYRA
"Tyty"

Jersey College

"You have to fight
through some bad days
to earn the best days of
your life."



ASANTE,
WENDY



ATANGANA,
ALICIA
"Lil Juicy"

NJIT

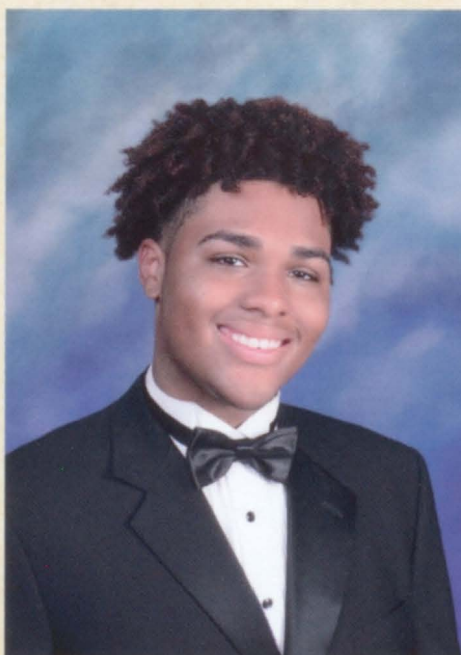
Chaleee my brodas
and sistas "Education
is the most powerful
weapon which you can
use to change the
world."— Nelson
Mandela.



AUSTIN,
MARQUEL
"Mark"

Ramapo

"Hi, My name is Mark and
you're watching Disney
Channel."



BALURE,
MUHAMMED



BARKSDALE,
RASHON
"Rah Wavy"



I had to put my grades up
for adoption because I
couldn't raise them.

BATTS,
JAQUAN
"Quannie"

Essex County College

"Stay up guys where
almost there. "



BOHLER-ROSS,
JOVANNAH
"JoJo"

"Call it a curse or just call
me blessed If you can't
handle my worse you
ain't getting my best"



BIENNESTIN,
GERNIDE
"JennyLeBarb"

Morgan State

"Im the Alpha the
Omega everything in
between."
-Nicki Minaj



BOBB,
SAFFRON



BRADY,
ANYA
"Niahh"

Montclair State
University

"I will be known forever
for my kind heart and
loyalty."



BRAKE,
ZARRIA
"Zeee"

"Never give up!!"



BREMNER,
PRINCESS
"Bird"

Essex County College

"Success is not final,
failure is not fatal; it is
the courage to continue
that counts."



BURROUGHS,
NAKIA
"Ki"

HCCC

"If you moving funny the
you could keep it
moving."



CAMARA,
AMARA



CERDA,
CHRISTOPHER



CHINA,
TYRIK
"RTF"

Berkeley College



CLINTON,
AYANNA
"Yanna"

"Do it for the people that
want to see you fail" -
Ayanna



CONGLETON,
KHA-ONAH
"KayKay"

Bloomfield College

"Beauty is when you
can truly appreciate
yourself. For when you
love, that is when you
feel you are most
beautiful"



COPELAND,
ZOENICOLE
"ZoëGang"

NJCU

When I speak, I speak
things into existence: I'm
GOING to be rich soon,
but I ASPIRE to
becoming wealthy."



CROSELL,
JASMINE



SEAGLE-DAVIS,
IZJA
"Poodie"

"Rutgers University"

"We need to reshape our
own perception of how
we view ourselves. We
have to step up as
women and take the
lead."



EDWARDS,
EMANI



ELEY,
JON'ASIA



ESCOBAR,
FREDDY



ESSEL,
NANA
"NANA4RMGHANA"

Montclair State University

"Set a good example for people that follow you especially when you are not from where you are being followed."



EVANS,
TIYAUN
"Tiy"

Montclair State University

"igh so boom, do what makes you happy."



EVANS,
TIYAUNA
"Nanee"

Virginia State University

"Goodbye everyone, I'll remember you all in therapy"
- plankton



GBONJUBOLA,

OKUNOLA
"Suliat"

Montclair State
University



GORDON,
RAJHANEE

GRAVES,
RAYMOND



GUNTER,
TATA-NAZIYAH

HALIRU,
KONYINSOLA
"KayKay"

New Jersey City
University

"I take steps to take
tests"



HAWKINS,
DESTINY
"Dessy" or "Des"

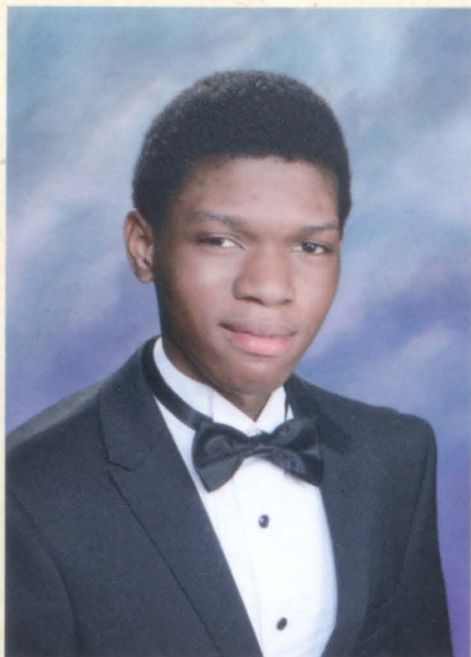
Essex County College

"Difficult roads lead to
beautiful destinations."

HAYFORD,
SAMUEL

Caldwell University

tunasub / I was never
insane - Edgar Allan
Poe



HENRY,
SHAMAR



HILL,
CHARLES
"Ce Dub"

Cooper Union School
of Design

"Look at Nana's Picture
and try not to laugh" -
Me



HINTON,
SAFIAH



HOLLOWAY,
KHALIF
"KhaKha"

Lincoln Technical
Institute

"Everyday I think of a
master plan"



HUGHES,
TYSHONAH



HUNTER,
SABRIA
"Briaa"



"When it comes down to it. I let people think what they want. And if they care enough to bother with what I've done, I already know I'm better than them."

IRIZARRY,
JOSE



HENRY-JACOBS,
TANIYJAA



SMITH,
ABDUL
"AB" or "AJ"

Air Force

"I always mistake raisin cookies for chocolate chip that is the reason why I have trust issues LOL"



JALLAH,
JOYCE
"Joy"



JAMES,
JIMLEE
"Jay"

"The King of the Athletic Department, My Legacy will be Remembered"



Hudson County
Community College

"I am what I am."

JOHNSON,
NICHOLAS



JONGBO,
RAYMOND
"Thin"



"Young Playa with
The Sauce
DRIP SET"-Thin

JONES,
MIGUEL
"Migos"



"I haven't even begun
to peak"-Dennis
Reynolds

JONES,
DANTE
"Dutta"



Montclair State
University

JONES,
KEYANA
"Key"

Berkeley College

"If you are always
trying to be normal you
will never know how
amazing you can be"
~ Maya Angelou



JONES,
SHAKUR



JONES,
SAQUANAH



JONES,
TANEJAH
"Cash"



Kean University

"Guaranteed If You Don't
Feel Me Now , You Gone
Feel Me Later."

JONES,
TYWAN
"TyBully"



JOSEY,
SAGEE



IBIKUNLE,
BOLUWATIFE



KENNEDY,
SAMAYA
"Mayah K"



Montclair State University

"Why would I hop In
some beef when I can
just hop in a Porsche."

KOWLESSAR,
STACY
"Big Stacy"

Army

"Never Give Up, Keep
Going"



LASSITER,
ANTHONY
"Ant"

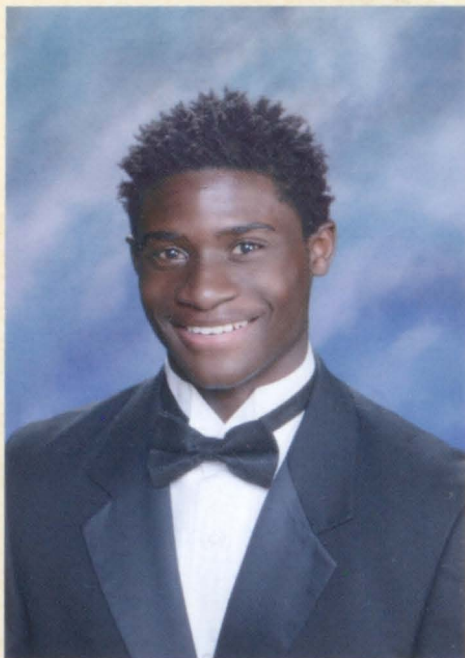
"Nothing is True,
Everything is Permitted"



LAWRENCE,
ALPHONSO
"Diego"

William Paterson
University

"Failure is the key to
success. Each mistake
teaches us something"



LAWRENCE,
ISAIAH
"Tripp"

Military

"I am the punishment of
God...If you had not
committed great sins,
God would not have sent
a punishment like me
upon you." -Genghis
Khan



LEGRAND,
JALEEL
"Lil"

Montclair State
University

"I'll Walk Alone Before I
Will Ever Be Misled"



LEONARD,
ARQUAN
"Quan"

William Paterson
University

"Don't make a habit out
choosing what feels good
over what's actually good
for you."~ Eric Thomas



LEWIS,
NAFISAH
"Nafeedy"

Bloomfield College

"I never gave up
even though others
told me I wouldn't
make it. I saw the
bigger picture and I
went after it." -
Taraji P Henson



LEWIS,
TYREE
"Stacks"

Not everyone you lose is
a loss -XXXTentacion



LOPEZ,
ANGEL



MALBON,
IVIRAYANAH
"Ivy"

"You laugh at me
because I'm different. I
laugh at you because
you're all the same"



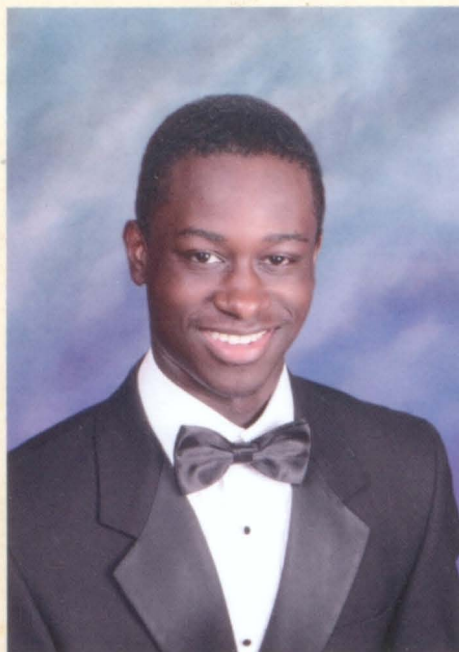
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TYTEANNA



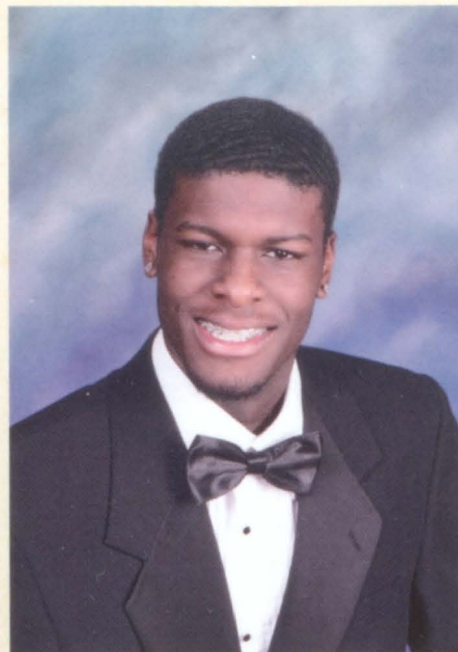
MANNING,
TA-TANAY



MANSARAI,
ABDULAI



MARSHALL,
TIMOTHY
"Tim"



Rutgers-Newark

"They sleep on you until
you doing better than
before"

MAS,
ALYANNAH



MAYO,
YVETTE
"Lightskin"



"If an opportunity doesn't
knock, build a door."
-Milton Berle

MCCALLLUM,
DINAY
"Dahnay Nay"

Montclair University

"Graduated High
School by pretending it
was actually a dance
studio."



MCCRAY,
AH-SADDA
"Saddah"



"No I'm Not Lucky, I'm
Blessed"
-Nicki Minaj

MCKENZIE,
AL-ZAMIRAH



MCLEAN,
YAHNAYIA
"Nay Mulaa"



"Let me be GREAT, Lets
be Great together."

MCNEILL,
SHANIYAH
"Fly Niyah"



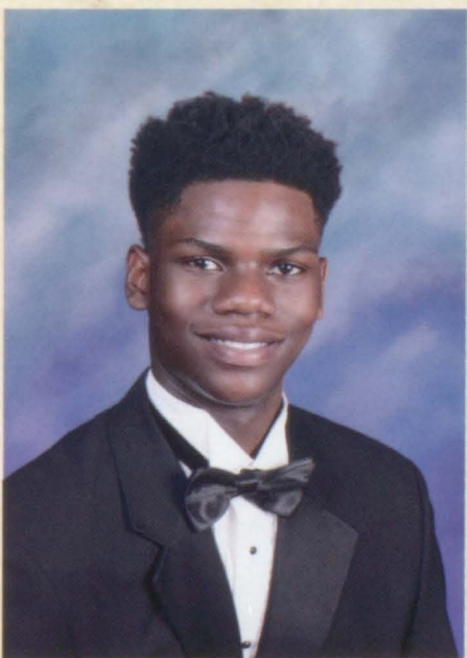
MENSAH,
ELIZABETH



"You cannot be proud of
what you are born as
only of what you can do"

"Few Love Me Many
Hated Me, Westside
Drip Kid Momma I Did
it"

MCGEE,
SHAHIDAQUAN
"Quann"



MICHAEL,
SAWACHA
"Sawacha Baby"



Essex County College

"Stronger together"

"Stop Trying To Fit In
When You Were Born
To Standout"

MICKENS,
DESTINY



MILLS,
FAITH
"Faith"



BMCC

"Once you have Faith
Everything falls into
place... Yes I Mean Me

MOHAMMED,
ARFAN



MORALES,
SKYE
Skizzi Wizzi or
Scarlet



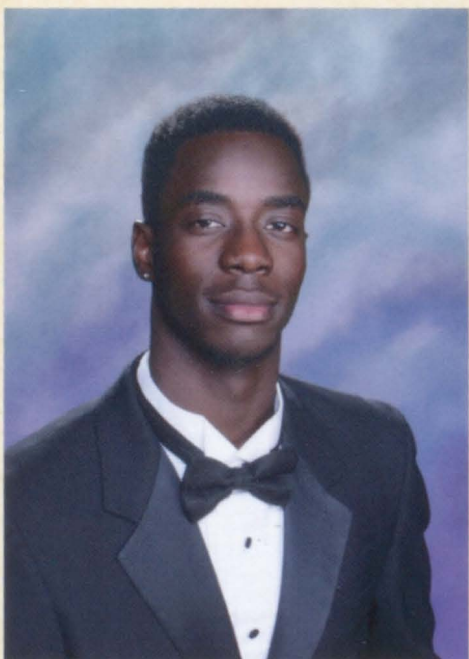
Lincoln Tech

All I can do is be me,
whoever that is.

OKUBOYEJO,
BOLUWATIFE
"Tharghet"

Essex County College

"Vibes with the Vibe's
Machine"



PARHAM,
KIARRA
"Dreadhead"



"Life Is A Journey"

PARTIN,
AKIRA



PEARSON,
RAHNISHA



PERALTA,
JEREMY
"J-Money"

Kean University

"You Only Live Life
Once, Make the most
of it"



PERALTA,
JOSE



POWELL,
NAZIR



POWELL,
RENEECE
"Ren Ren"

Montclair State University

"Peace, Love and
Positivity."



PURDIE,
LEON
"Chip"

"Reality is wrong.
Dreams are for real."



RAINEY,
JARIAH
"Jay Riah" or
"Daddie"

Essex County College

"I am the change, I want
to see in the future."



RAMOS,
SIHOMARA



RAND,
COLLEEN
"Collard Greens"

Essex County College

"I didn't know what to put
as my quote, so I just put
this"



RASHID,
AVANTII
"Vanni"

"You know how they
say, 'You gon' miss it
when its gone?'"



REDDICK,
TASHAWN



REED,
KYONE
"KyBoogie"

"There's no grind
without Struggle"



REGISTER,
FREDRICK
"Demetrius"

Kean University

"The Senior Quotes
Today?"



RICKS,
GEMINI
"Gemini"

"No such thing as a life
that's better than
yours" -Jermaine Cole



RICKS,
NATAYA
"Tay"

Howard University

"Once I graduate, you're
all getting blocked"



RIVERA,
GEOVANNIE
"Cashout Geo"

Berkeley College

"The Friends you start
with isn't the friends
you end with"-G Herbo



RIVERA,
JOSE

NJCU

"So I can write anything
here and it'll be in the
yearbook?"



ROBLES,
FELICITY
"FeFe"

New England College

"Every Cloud Has a
Silver Lining"



ROBINSON,
TREVELL



ROMAN,
ASHLEY

Medical School

"Here's to the nights
that turned into
morning friends that
turned into family and
dreams that turned into
reality"



ROSEBROUGH,
TAHIJ



SAINTE,
ZAMANIH
"Z"

Essex County College

"If You Want
Something You've
Never Had Then Do
Things You've Never
Done"



SALAAM,
ZAYED
"ZaZa"

Lynn University

"You are stronger than
you seem , smarter than
you think and braver than
you think"



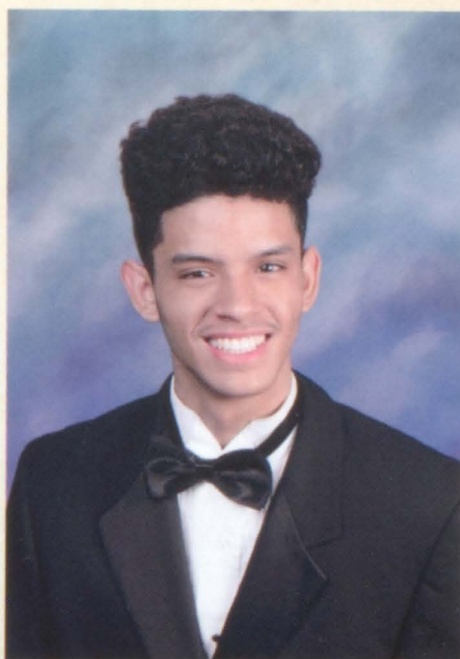
SAMUEL,
OGUNSDNIN



SANTOS,
JESUS
"Zeus"

New Jersey City
University

"Cheaters never win, but
I just graduated"



SCOTT,
TYLER



SPENCER,
AMARRIE
"Marrie"

Berkeley College

"I Just Wanna Graduate"



STEPHENS,
SHAMYND
"Mar"

Essex County College

"Go get the money
that's bottom line"



TANKSLEY,
UNIQUE



TATE,
BRIANA
"Bree"

New Jersey City
University

"Refuse to lose, Refuse
to be defeated, Refuse
to have regrets."



TAYLOR,
DORIAN
"Neckbone"

NJIT

"If you don't stand for
something, you'll fall for
anything" - Malcolm X



THOMAS,
CRYSTAL



THOMPSON,
KAADIR
"Jelly"

Kirkland Prep

"I'm a bus run through
any obstacle life throws
at me."



TORRES,
IRIS



WILLIAMS,
HANIYYAH

"When your mind, body
and spirit works as
one, anything is
possible"



WILLIAMS,
Z'MYA
"Mya"

Essex County College

"Now I Move With
Aggression, Use My
Mind As A Weapon."



WILLIAMSON,
ANTASIA
"Tay Tay"

Saint Peter's

"I may be crazy but I'm
making it in life. Yay!"



WILSON,
JACHIJA



WISE,
JA'QUIL



WOOTEN,
SARAYAH
"Rayah"

William Paterson
University

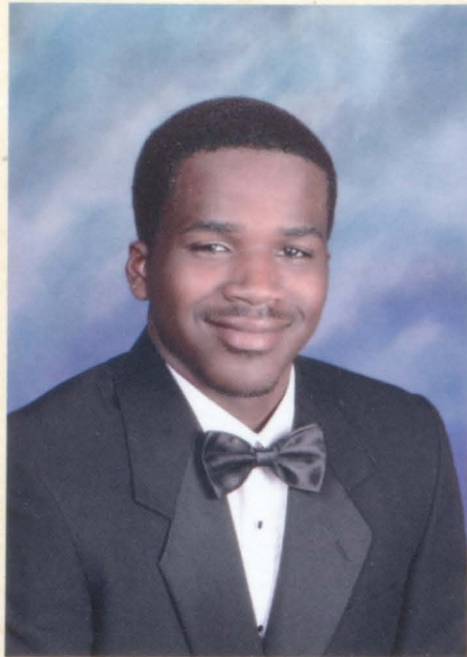
"The thing about new
beginnings is that,
Something has to
come to an end."



WRIGHT,
KEVON



WYMAN,
JAQUILL



YORO,
RYAN
"Big Ry"



Seton Hall University

"I had turbo'd off my
motor I was pushing
boulders" ~ Nayvadius
Wilburn

YOUNG,
TYRESE
"Rese"

Kirkland

"Nothing is like me,
Nothing will be like me
after me"



ZAHIRATU,
KCY'YAANA



ZAKAT,
ZAHIR
"Zah" or
"Zahmoneyy"

William Paterson
University

"My ego is bigger than
your future."





College Fair



Senior Selfies





Caught you in the act!!!

Senior Selfies

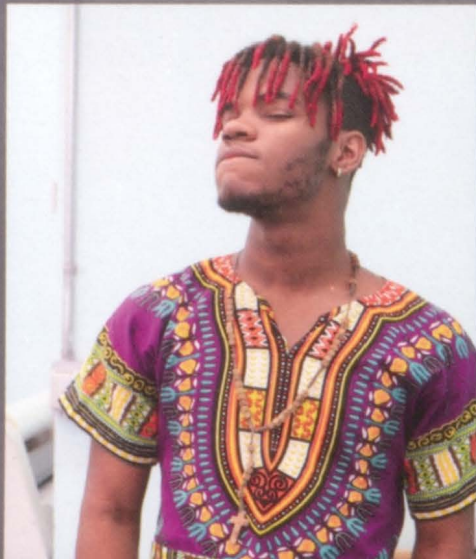




Caught you in the act!!!!

SUPERLATIVES

Best Smile



Charles Hill



Tiyaina Evans

Most Likely to Succeed



Ryan Yoro

Class Clown



Dante Jones



Sabria Hunter

Best Hair



Gernide
Biennestin

Best Couple: Dinay & Rahson



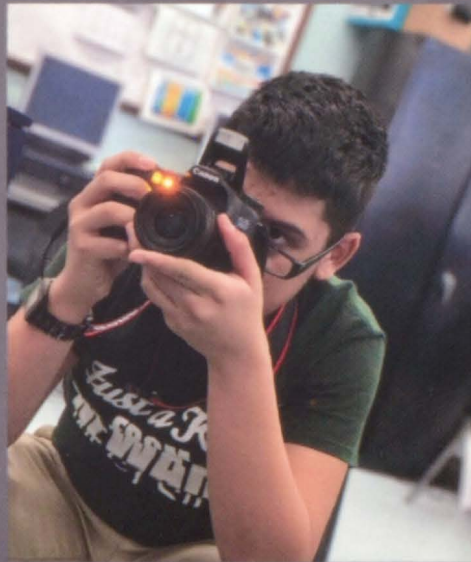
SUPERLATIVES

Most Likely
to Succeed



Ayanna Clinton

Most Technical



Jeremy Peralta



Skye Morales

Best Hair



Jalen Arline

Most Fashionable



Zahir Zakat



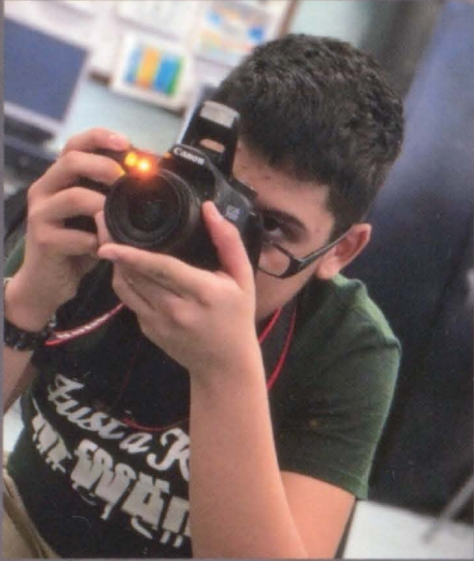
Gernide Biennestin

Best
Dancers:
Charles
Hill
&
Dinay
McCullam



SUPERLATIVES

Most Helpful



Jeremy Peralta



Jovannah Bohler

Shortest Person

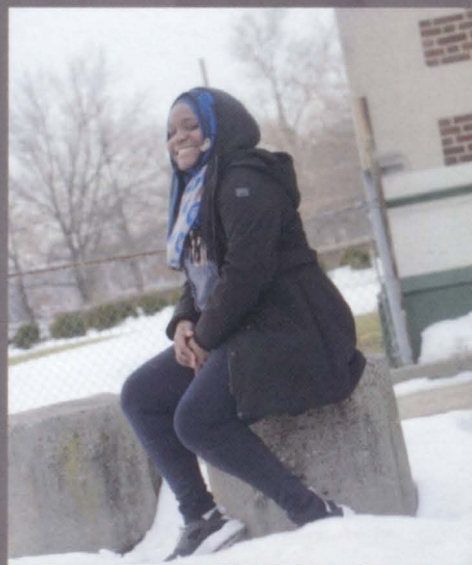


Ammarie Spencer

Teacher's Pet



Jeremy Peralta



Aishat Atenekem

Most Talkative



Jovannah Bohler

SUPERLATIVES

Shortest Person



Keyana Jones

Tallest Person



Tyrese Young



Zarria Brake

Most Talkative



Geovannie Rivera

Most School Spirit



Zahir Zakat



Dinay McCullam

SUPERLATIVES

Most Athletic

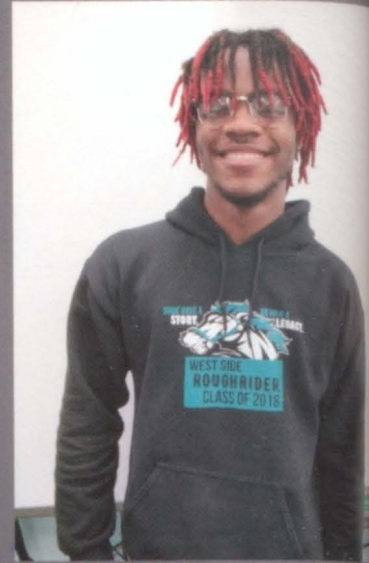


Jimlee James



Tiyauna Evans

Most Talented



Charles Hill

Most Quiet



Stanley Mayo



Nemrah Akram

Loudest Person



Giovannie Rivera

SUPERLATIVES

**Most
Talented**

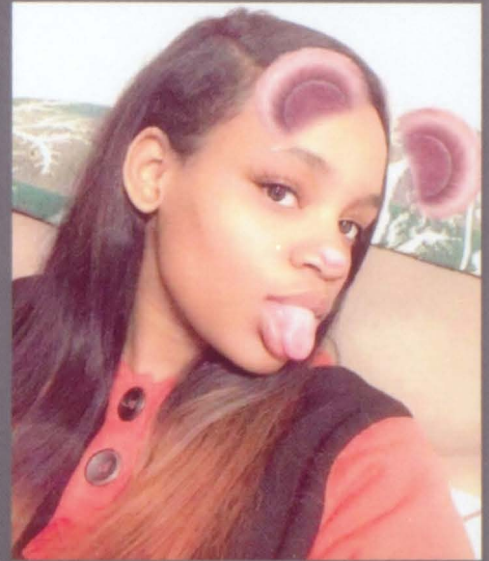


Haniyyah Williams

Most Outspoken



Zahir Zakat



Sabria Hunter

**Loudest
Person**



Sabria Hunter

Biggest Ego



Jalen Arline

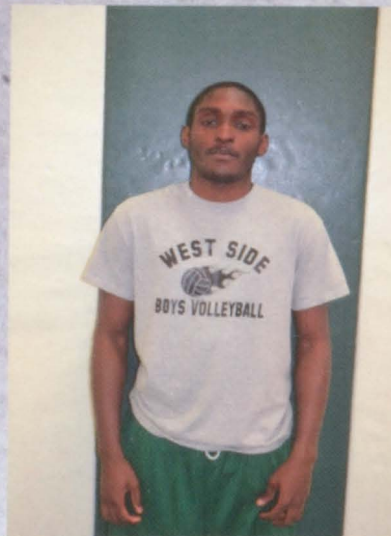


Gernide Biennestin

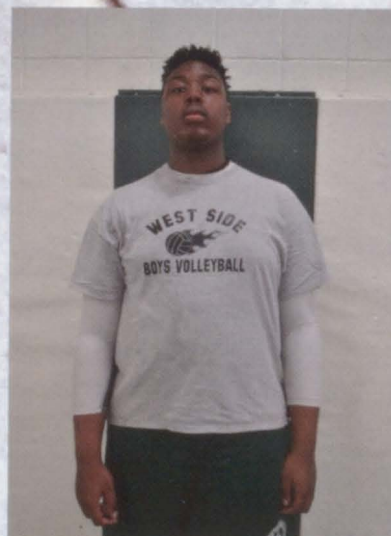
West Side Volleyball



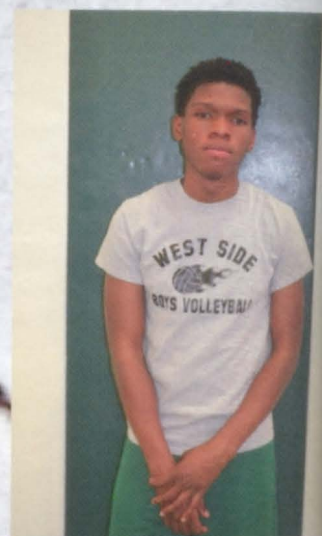
**Nana
Essel**



**Shamar
Henry**

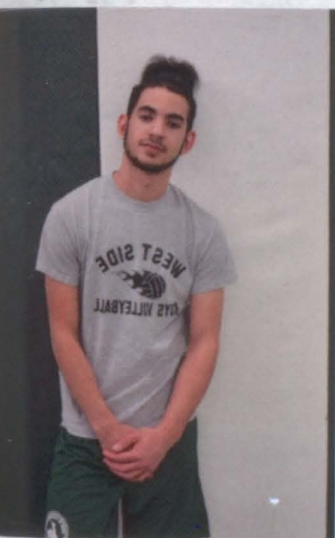


**Ryan
Yoro**

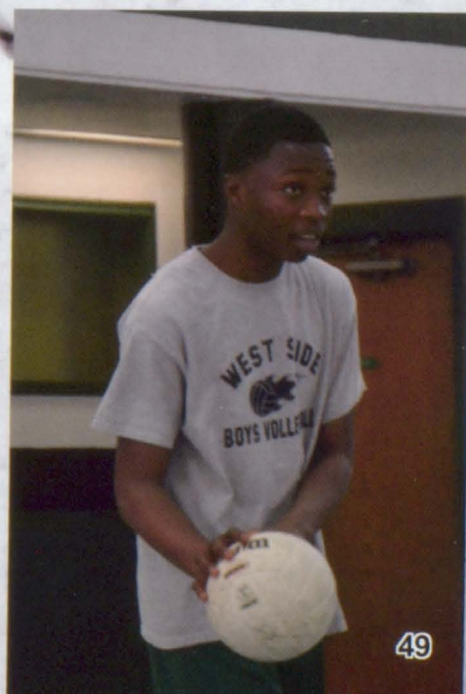


**Samuel
Hayford**





**Christopher
Cerde**



Homecoming Court



2017 KING



2017 QUEEN

Zahir Zakat
2017
Homecoming
King

Dinay McCallum
2017
Homecoming
Queen



2017 MS. ROUGHRIDER

Ayanna Clynton - 2017 Homecoming Ms. Roughrider

WE ARE **ROUGHRIDERS**







Roughrider Football Team



#1 - Sr
Nasir Neal
RB/CB



#2 - Sr
Lassiter
RB/LB



#3 - Sr
Dveon Dore
RB/CB



#4 - Sr
Justin Wedderburn
RB/S



#5 - Soph
Chrishod Walker
QB/CB



#6 - Sr
Thomas Darnell
WR/S



#7 - Jr
Zyin Rosario
WR/CB



#8 - Sr
Tywan Jones
WR/S



#9 - Jr
Jakai Co.
WR/S



#10 - Jr
Juan Donnerson
WR/CB



#11 - Sr
Ty-Saiah Moss
WR



#13 - Jr
Darius Gooden
WR/CB



#15 - Jr
Prince Okituama
WR/DE



#17 - Soph
Shua Sutton
WR/S



#20 - Jr
Dashon Dickerson-Smith
WR/CB



#21 - Sr
Jimlee James
RB/S



#22 - Jr
Daniel Howard
RB/LB



#24 - Jr
Quamaine M.
WR/CB



#25 - Soph
Eric Lopez
TE/LB



#29 - Sr
Zaire Thompson
RB/LB



#32 - Sr
Syhim Jackson
RB/LB



#40 - Jr
Xavier Woodward
RB/LB



#41 - Sr
Abdul Smith
RB/LB



#44 - Soph
William Carthens
RB/LB



#50 - Jr
Khyrell Jones
OL/DE



#51 - Sr
Angel Lopez
TE/LB



#52 - Sr
Dorian T.
OG/DT



#53 - Jr
Jahmid Jones
C/DT



#55 - Jr
Nasiem Keamey
G/DT



#56 - Sr
Tyrese Young
OT/DE



#58 - Sr
Kaadir Thompson
OG/DT



#57 - Sr
Corey Cole
OG/DT



#62 - Fresh
Amani Feaster
OT/DE



#64 - Soph
Saidel Saint
OG/DT



#65 - Sr
Ryan Yoro
OT/DT

WE ARE ROUGHRIDERS

Football Coaches

Marion Bell III – Head Coach

Marion Bell III, played **QB** for **West Side High School** for the late Great Edgar Whipps. He started his coaching career at West Side in 1993 as the **Defensive Coordinator**. He was named to the all city league team in 1985.

Mr. Marion Bell III is so proud to be back coaching at West Side after 24 years. He loves the kids and wants nothing but success for them on and off the field.

Coach Marion Bell would like to thank Mr. Taylor and the administration for allowing him to come back and serve as the Head Coach.

Assistant Coaching Staff & Trainer



D/B - R
Coach
Steve Coles



OL/DL
Coach
Wesley Collins



Defense
Coordinator
Charlie Hall



OL/DL
Coach
Murray Adams



Player Personnel
Coach
Daevon Maarshall



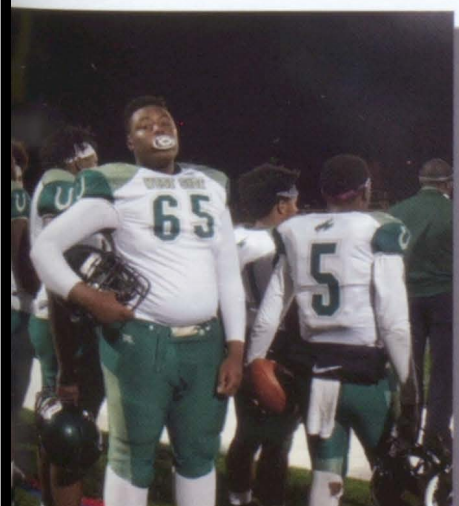
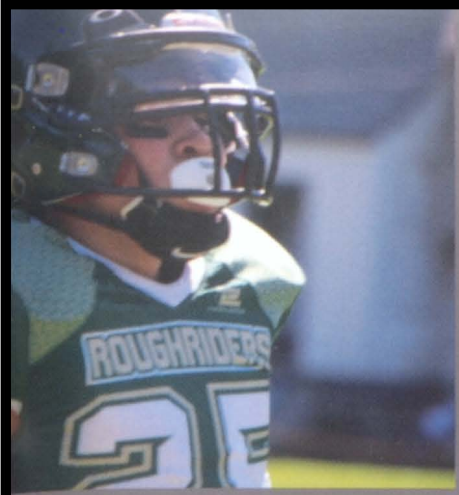
DL
Coach
Omaine Stephens



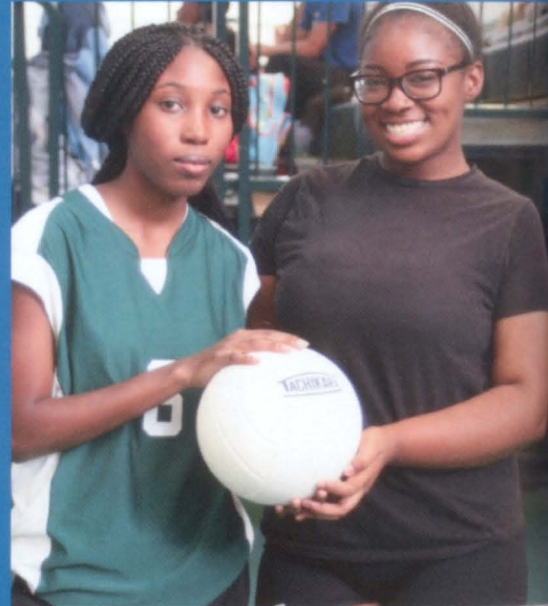
Trainer
Coleen "Red" McCann

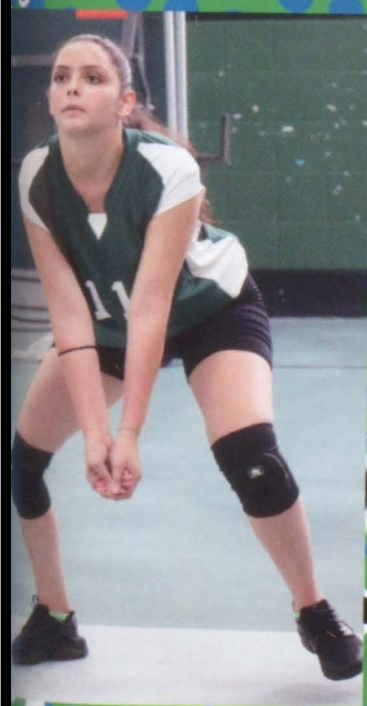
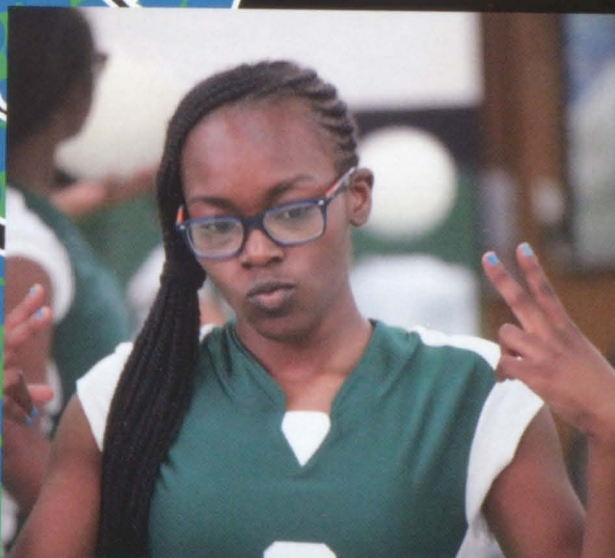
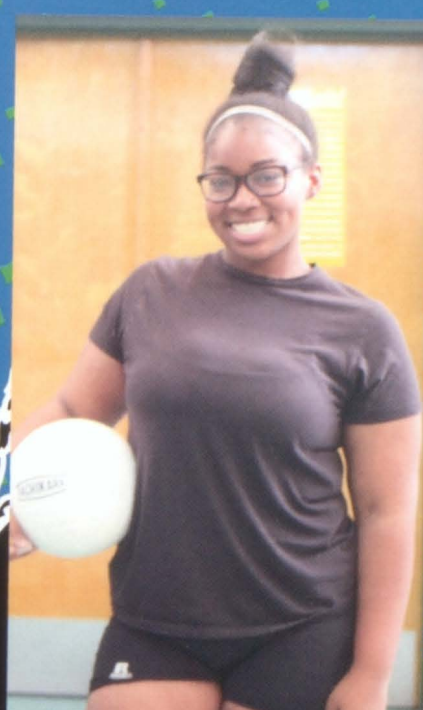
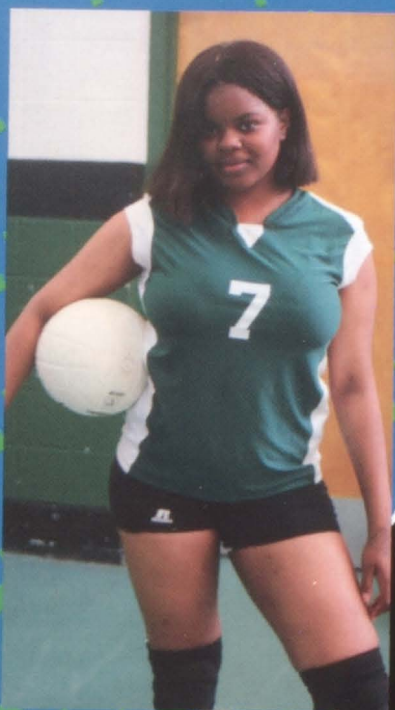
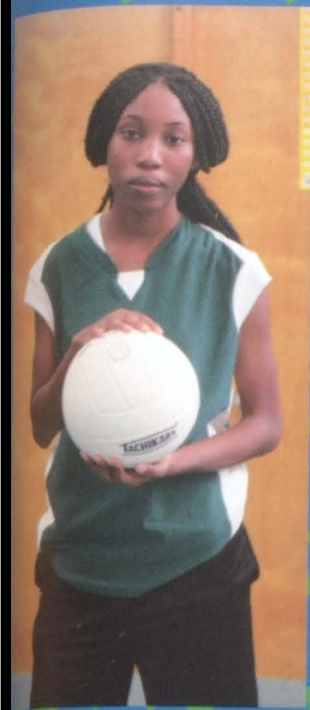




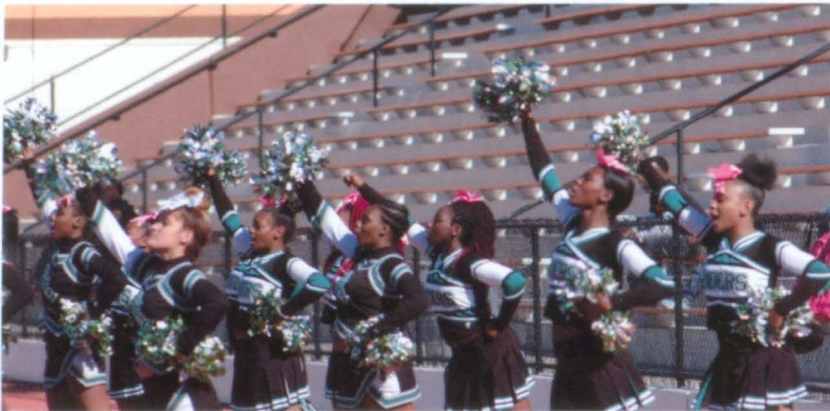


GIRLS VOLLEYBALL





CHEERLEADERS



Cheerleading



Head Coach
Makka Depa

It has been beyond rewarding watching you grow into strong, intelligent, level-headed young women, and we could not be more proud of the women you have become! The leadership skills you have acquired on the squad will take you far in life, and the determination that resides within you guarantees success in your future. Always remember your worth, and never settle for anything less than the best! We hope that the future brings you nothing but happiness!

Love,
Coach Depa and Coach Di



Assistant Coach
Diona McDonald

Haniyyah Williams
Ashley Roman
Aniyah Baez
Aaliyah Hill
Samaya Kennedy
Ayiana Jones
H-Asia Marrow
Haniyyah Bullock



Rakiyyah Cravin
Daji Price
Ky-ana Travis
Ashanti Robinson
Ashley Goodwin
Al-Jahnay Hagan
Kaila Morman-Heidt



Senior Captain
Haniyyah Williams



Senior
Samaya Kennedy



Senior Captain
Ashley Roman

WE ARE ROUGHRIDERS



Marching Band & Dancers



WE ARE **ROUGHRIDERS**

BASKETBALL



**I DON'T
make
EXCUSES.
I make
RESULTS.**



2017-18 Varsity Basketball

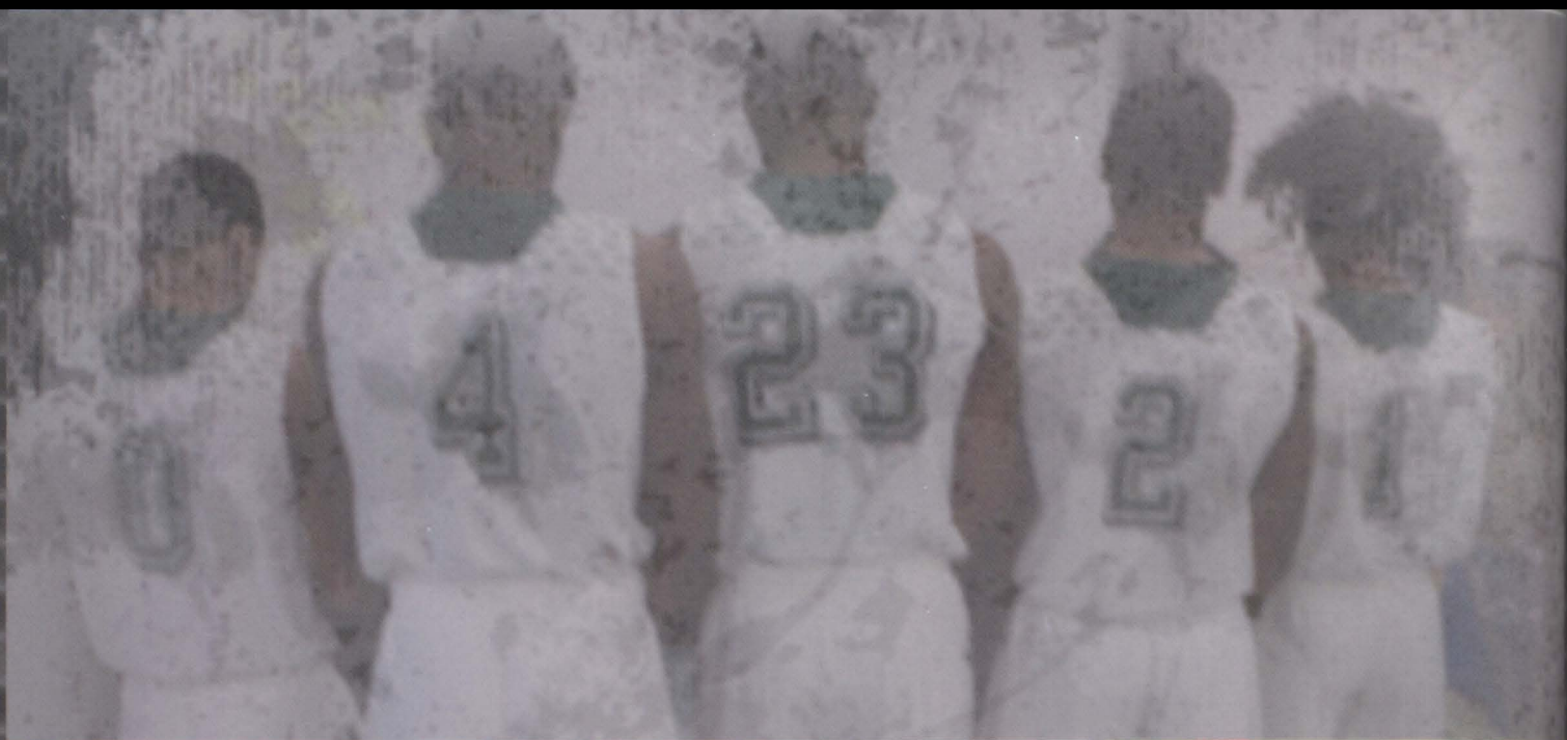
- #2 Kirk Parsons
- #0 Dashawn Latham
- #1 Tyjon Huntley
- #4 James Bell
- #23 Ronald Desir
- #3 Shi McGee
- #10 Anthony Newton
- #13 Karon Boundurant
- #12 Prince Okituama
- #24 Tywan Jones
- #11 Moussa Camara
- #35 Nasir Summerville
- #15 Nasir Brown
- #5 Arnell Green

Head Coach: Akbar Cook

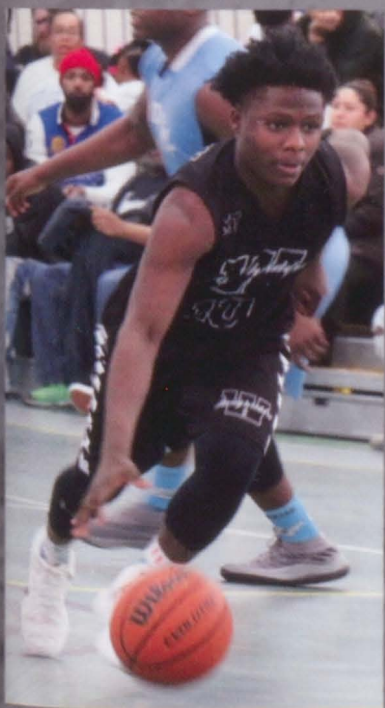
Assistant Coaches:

Craig Chilious, Devon Marshall,
Marc Harris, Darnay Dodson,
Kirk Parsons

Athletic Director: Gary Taylor



About That ACTION!





Boys JV & Freshmen

Eric Lopez
 Chrishod Walker
 Zyin Rosario
 Dishon Denny
 Quamayne Woodard
 Khyrell Jones
 Harkufkheme' Re Sudan' El
 Ramire Craighead
 Marquis Huey
 Daquan Chapman
 Joseph Harder



*REPUTATION IS WHAT OTHERS
 PERCEIVE YOU TO BE.
 CHARACTER IS WHAT YOU
 REALLY ARE.*

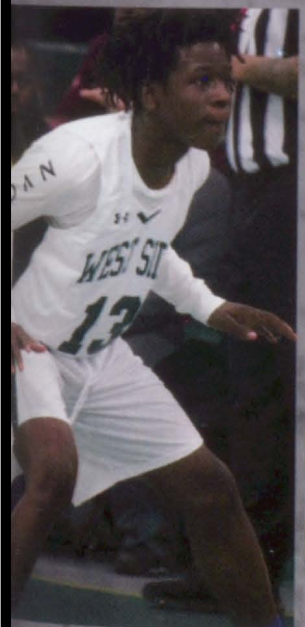
-- John Wooden



Amaurys Dejesus
 Manuel Ramos
 Osman Fenning
 Shawn Perkins
 Yasin Clarke
 Raquan White-Jones
 Nasiir Cameron
 Philippe Michel
 Amenra Smith
 Kalim Harvey-Belcher







LACROSSE



Lacrosse is the fastest growing sport in America and it has come to West Side High School in 2018. Through a partnership with East Side High School, pioneered by the joint efforts of West Side Athletic Director Gary Taylor and East Side Athletic Director Adrian Bosolasco, West Side athletes can now play for East Side Lacrosse. The team in 2018 becomes a true Newark United team with athletes from East Side, West Side, Science Park, and Technology High Schools. This joint effort offers West Side students the opportunity to not only learn how to play the "fastest game on two feet" but to grow friendships with fellow students all over this great city. The team's motto since inception has been "One Team, One Goal", which takes on a new significance this year as Newark unites on the lacrosse field.



LACROSSE



**ONE TEAM
ONE GOAL**





West Side Lacrosse Participants
 #25 Areyan Sami – Midfield
 #18 Ahmad Oyediran – Midfield
 #29 Manny Ramos – Attack
 #35 Rilan Lawal – Midfield

John Hay - Goaltending Coach





**ONE TEAM
ONE GOAL**



BASKETBALL

Girls Varsity



DO IT WITH
PASSION
OR NOT
AT ALL.

Girls Varsity Basketball



Girls Varsity Basketball 2018 Roster

Jariah Rainey
Kcy-Yaana Zahiratu
Yasha Turnage
Naomi McCovery
Maima Sorsor
Jaribel Caceres

Destiny McDuffie
Ke'Ziah Jones
China Cheatham
Caniyah Hatten
Dytasia Blake
Nafisat Abatan

Coaching Staff

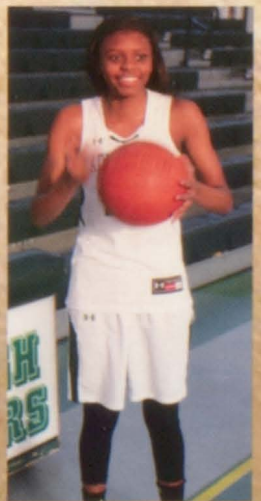
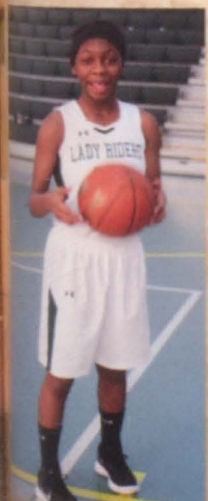
Sjocquelyn Winstead

Head Coach

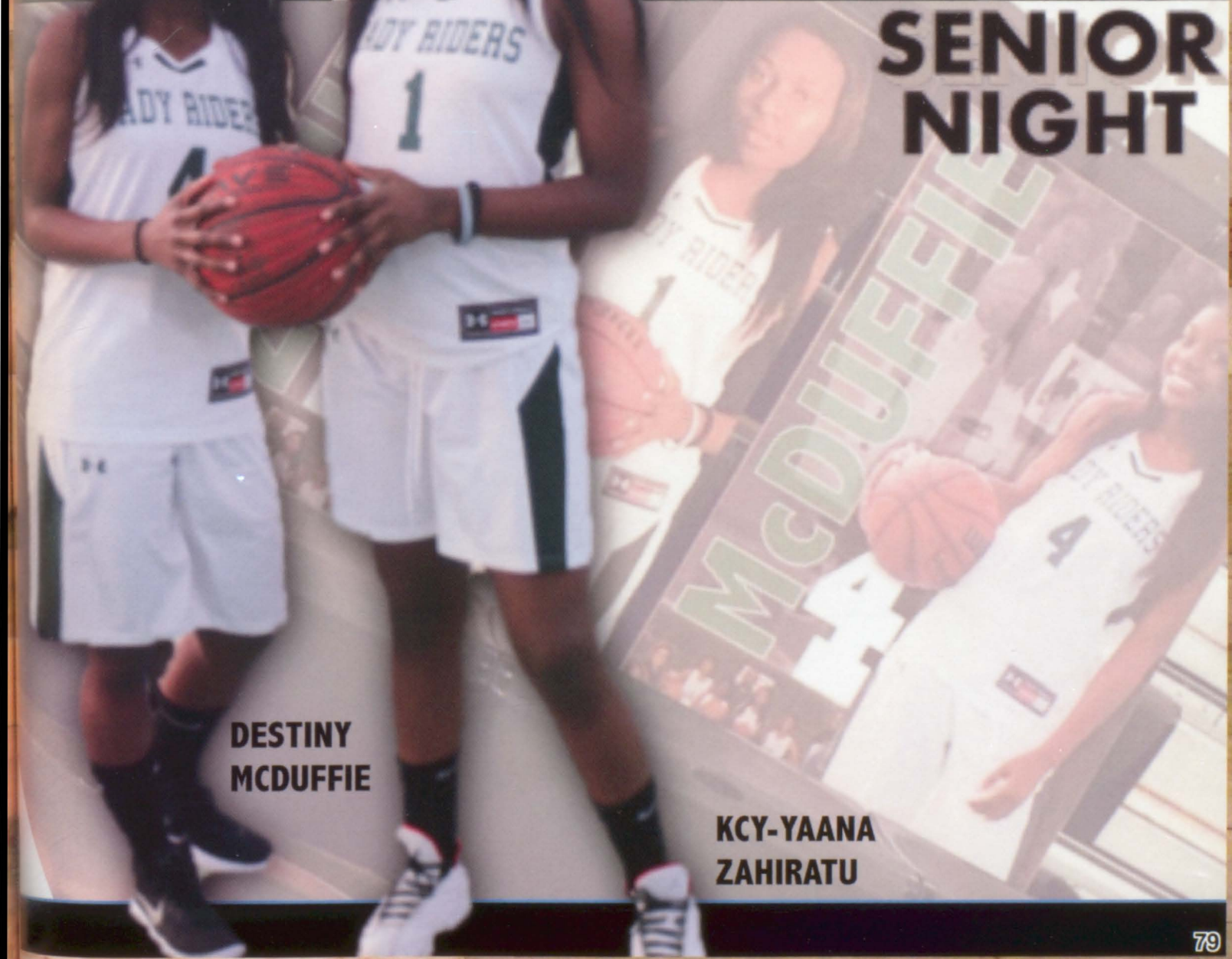
Lamar Jenkins
Assistant Coach

Kalif Rozier
Assistant Coach

Jerome Hancock
Assistant Coach







**DESTINY
MCDUFFIE**

**KCY-YAANA
ZAHIRATU**

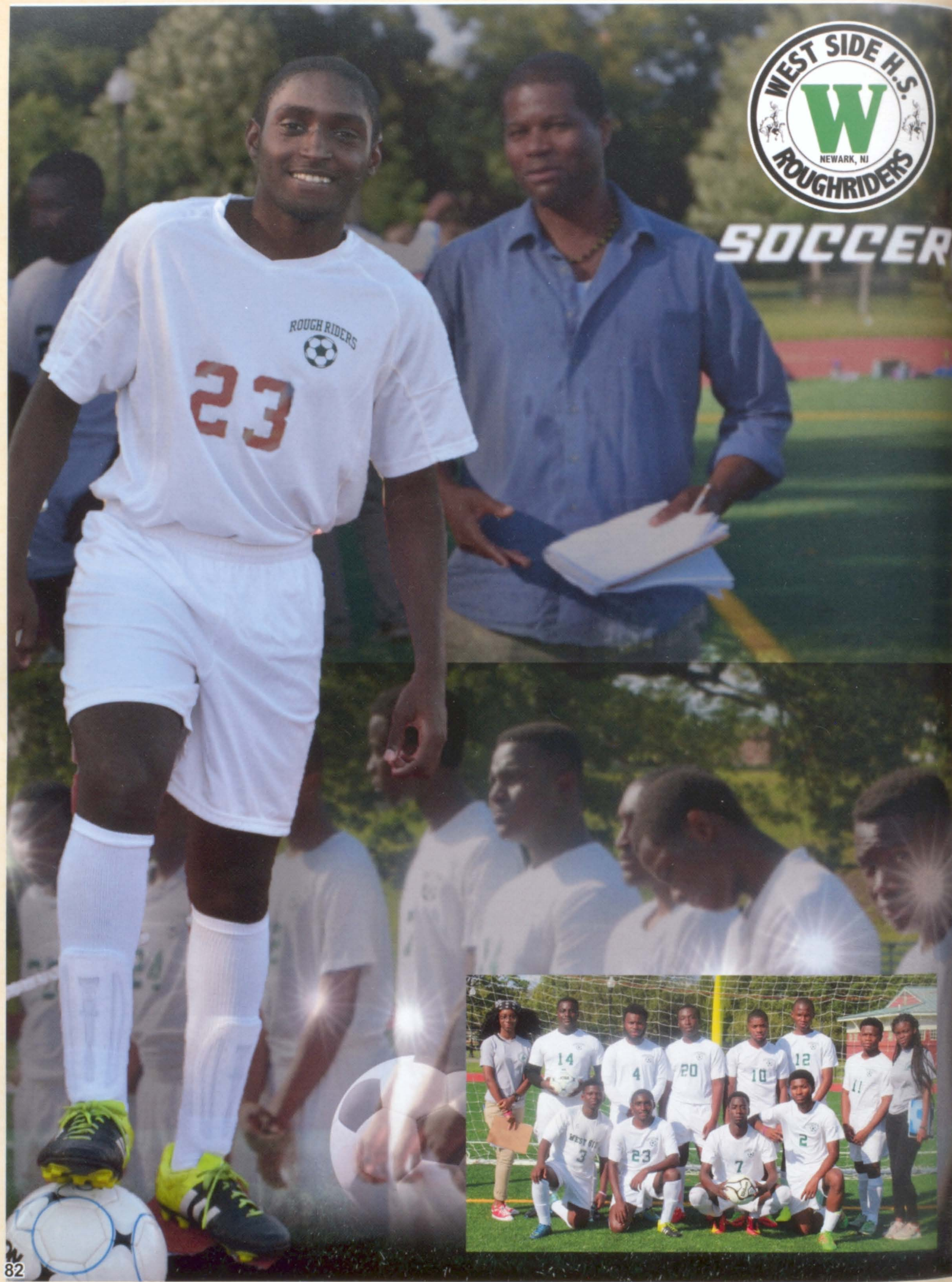


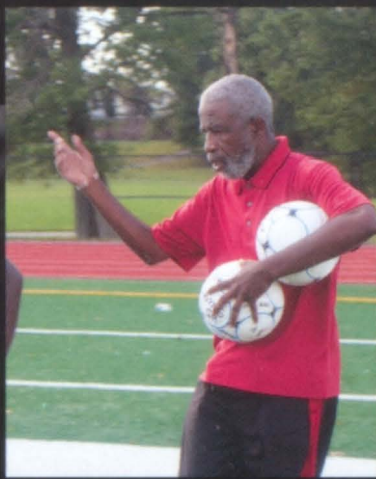
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 Tyrone Archibald
 Shamar Henry
 Michael Sawacha
 Juustin Brisset
 Paul Bonah
 Prince Abimah
 Clinton Adu-Adjyei
 Kazeem Fatal
 Raymopnd Jongbo
 Segun Ajibade
 Nicholas Johnson
 Mohammed Abubakr
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 Joshua Eqwyonwn
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 Joselph Sawacha
 Olatayo Williams





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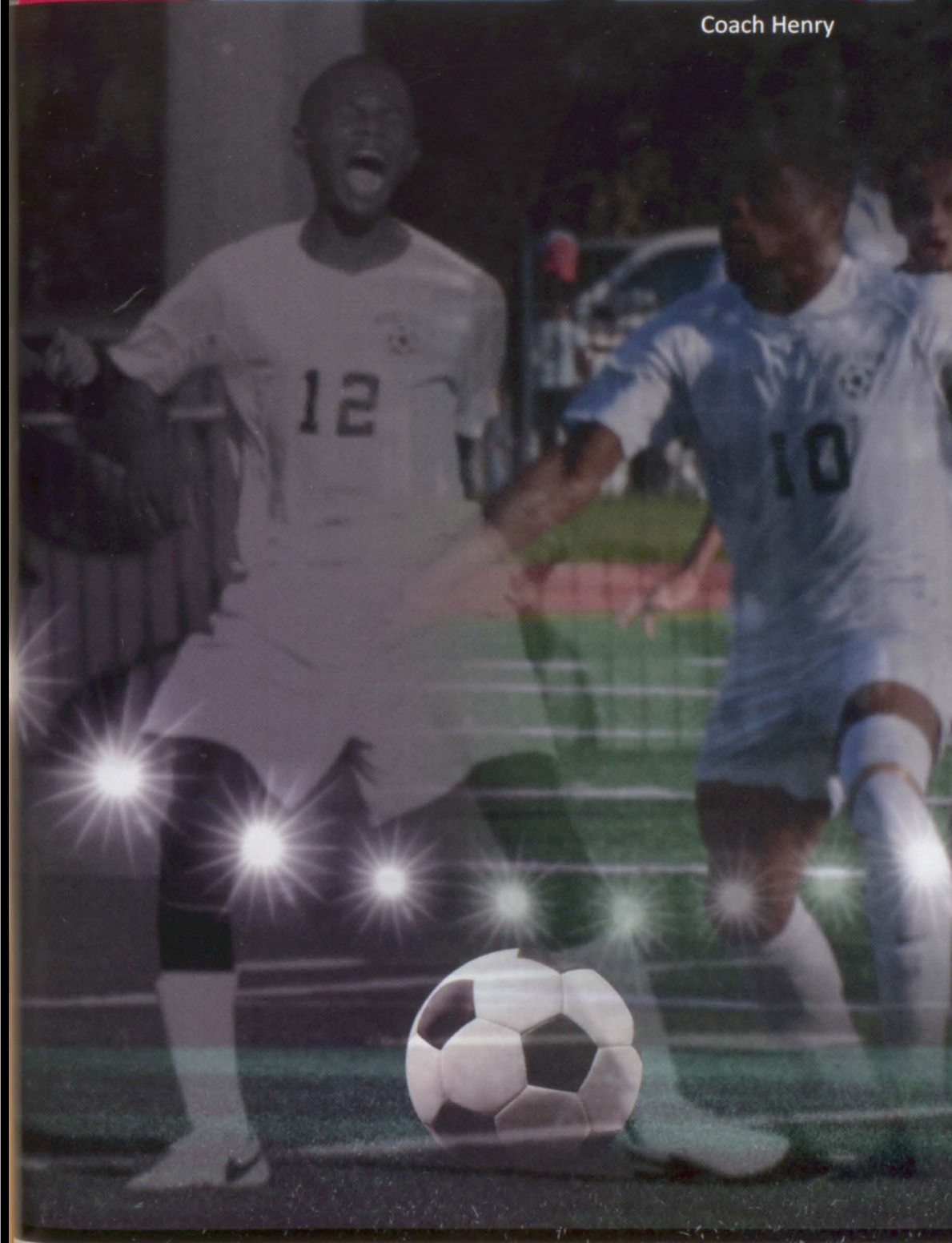




Coach Henry

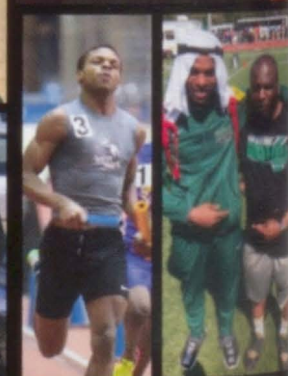
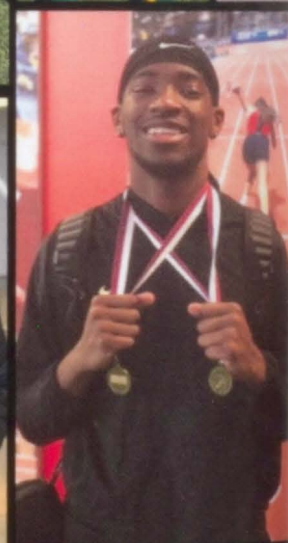


Coach Pinnock



WEST SIDE TRACK

CROSS COUNTRY – INDOOR - OUTDOOR



West Side High School Track Team Standouts Post Top Times Nationally in High Jump and 200 Meters



Next Meet: February 2, 2018 4pm: John Bennett Indoor Sports Arena, Toms River, N.J.

INDOOR TRACK



VANDERBILT
HS INDOOR INVITATIONAL

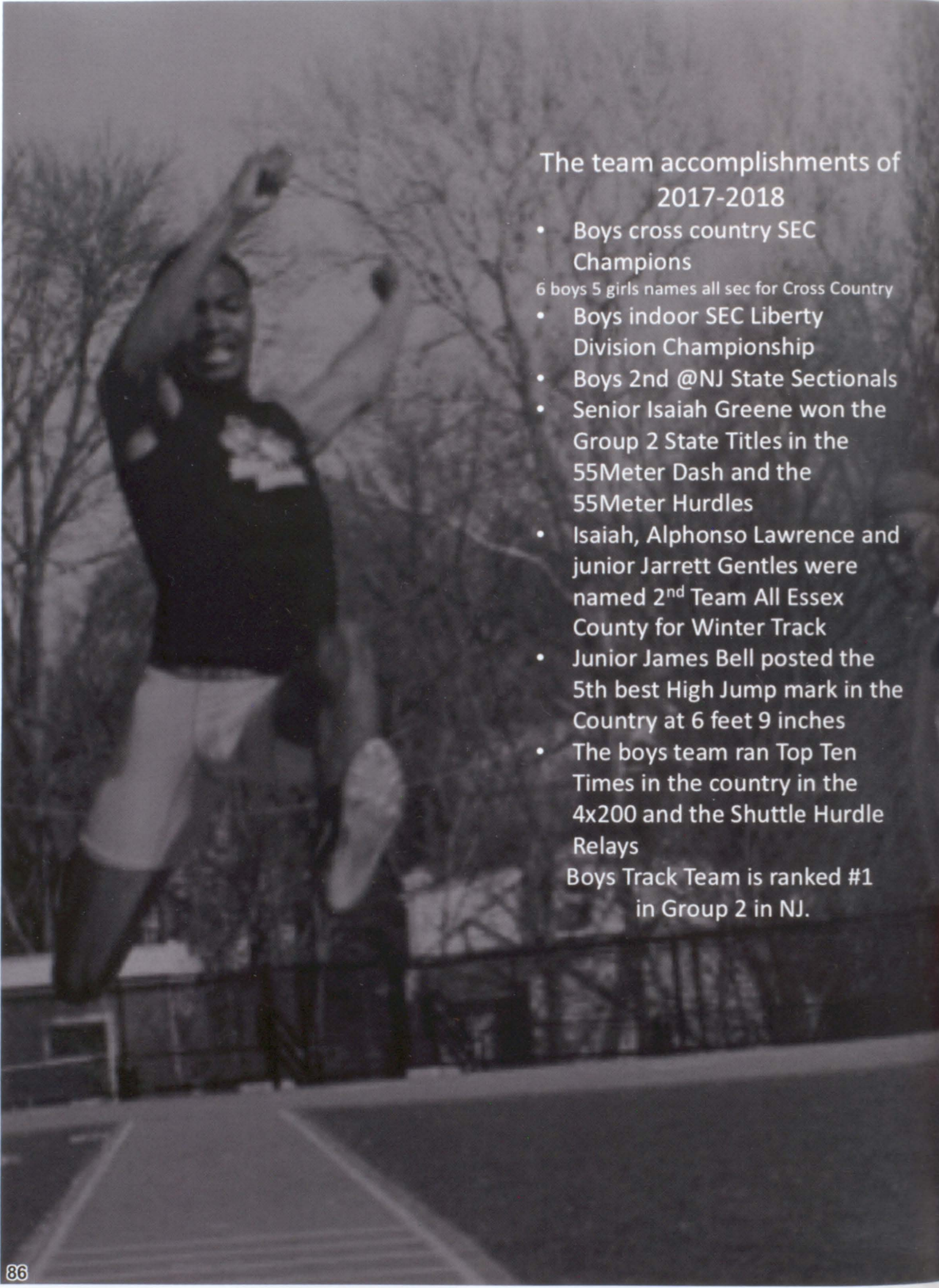
FEB 3

LIVE

Boys Group 2 Pre-Sectionals Rankings

The top 25 in each state championship event for Group 2. The four sectionals from this Group will battle it out this weekend.





The team accomplishments of 2017-2018

- Boys cross country SEC Champions

6 boys 5 girls names all sec for Cross Country

- Boys indoor SEC Liberty Division Championship
- Boys 2nd @NJ State Sectionals
- Senior Isaiah Greene won the Group 2 State Titles in the 55Meter Dash and the 55Meter Hurdles
- Isaiah, Alphonso Lawrence and junior Jarrett Gentles were named 2nd Team All Essex County for Winter Track
- Junior James Bell posted the 5th best High Jump mark in the Country at 6 feet 9 inches
- The boys team ran Top Ten Times in the country in the 4x200 and the Shuttle Hurdle Relays

Boys Track Team is ranked #1
in Group 2 in NJ.



PENN RELAYS





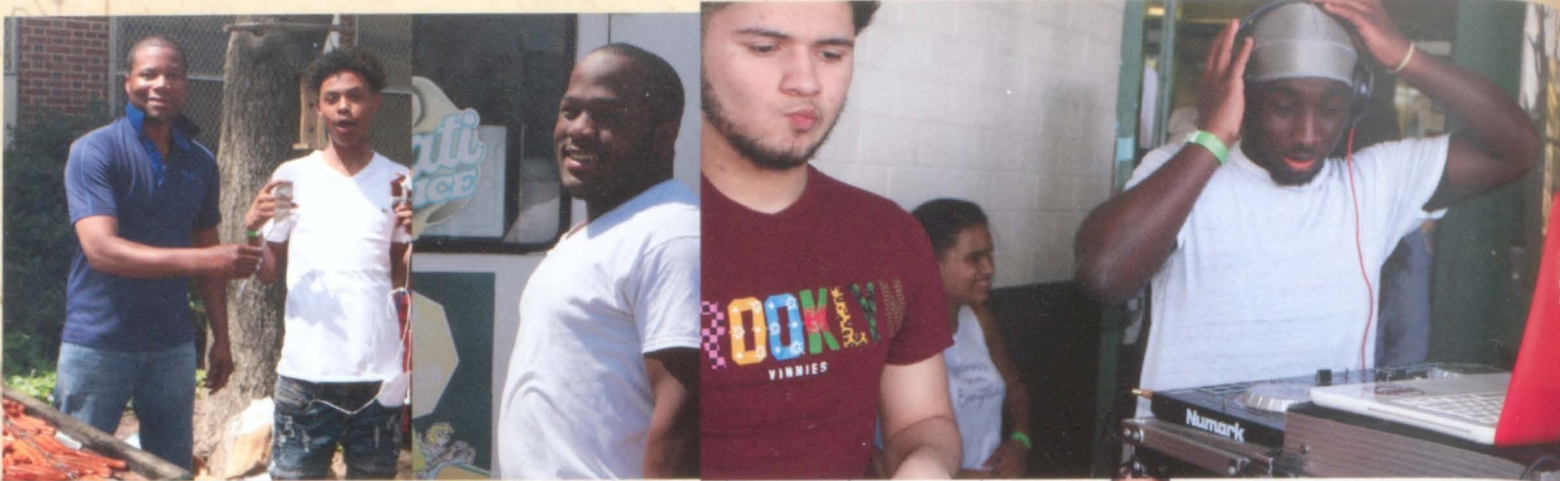
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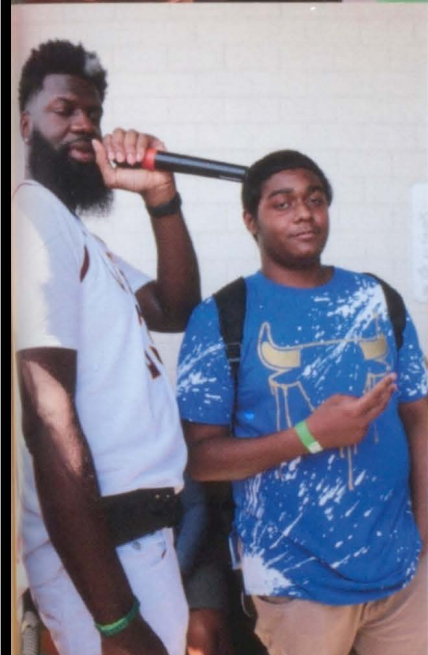
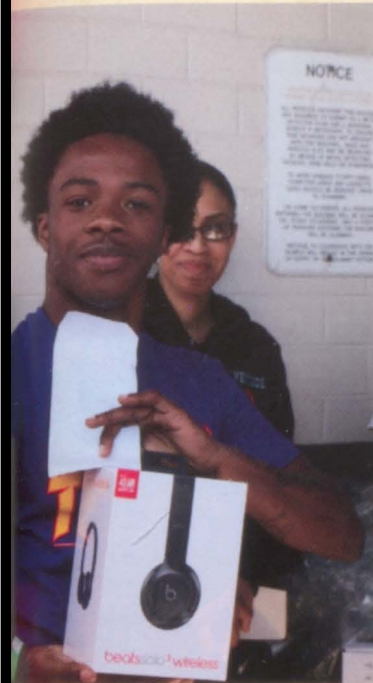


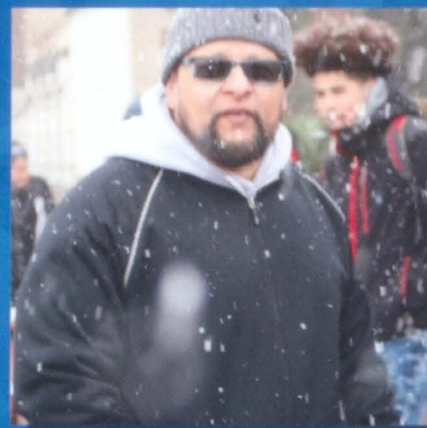


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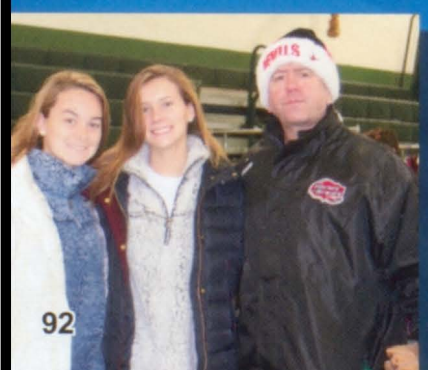


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West Side High School's Tree Giveaway



Jersey Day

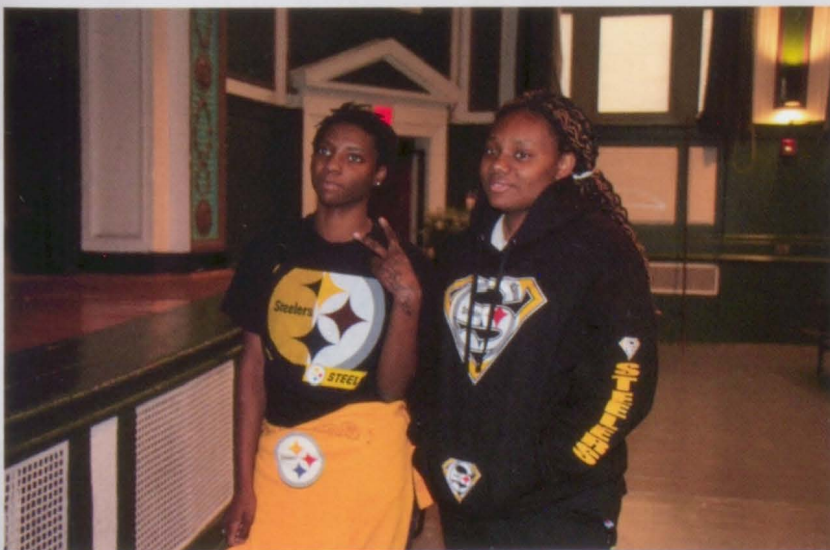
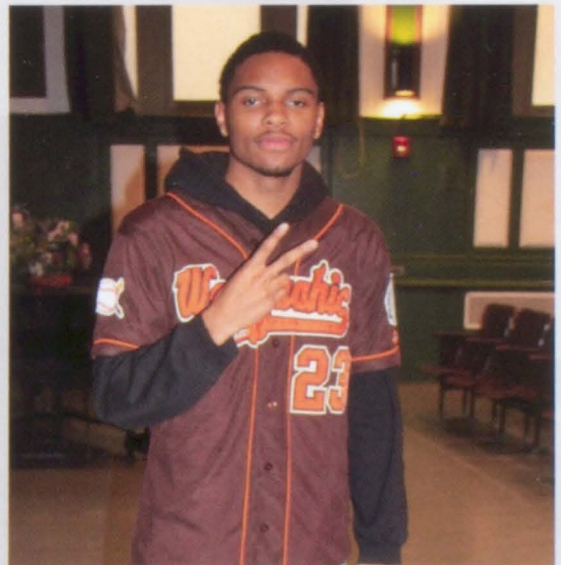
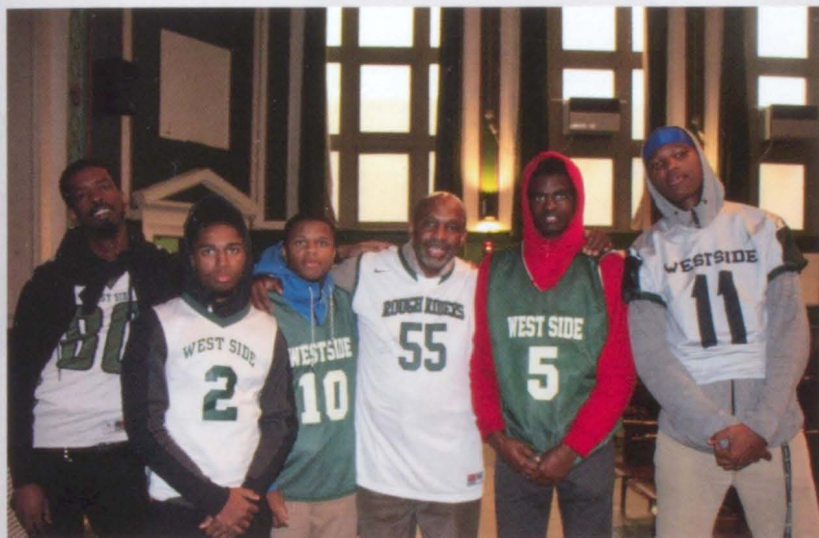


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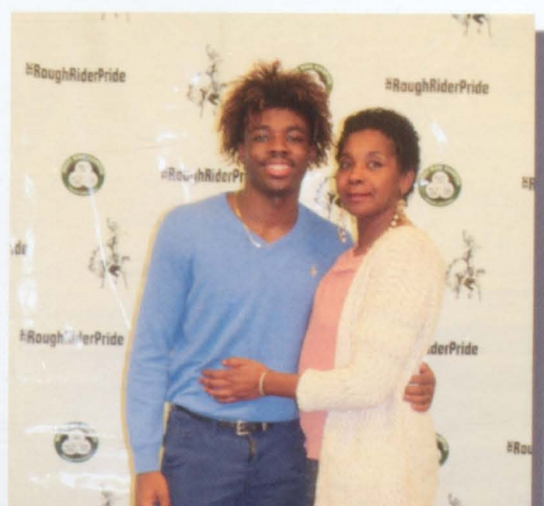
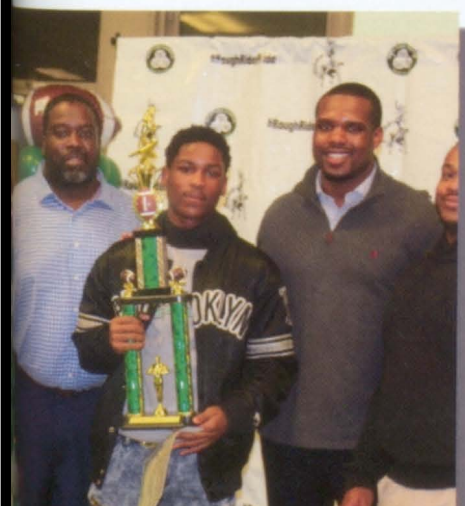
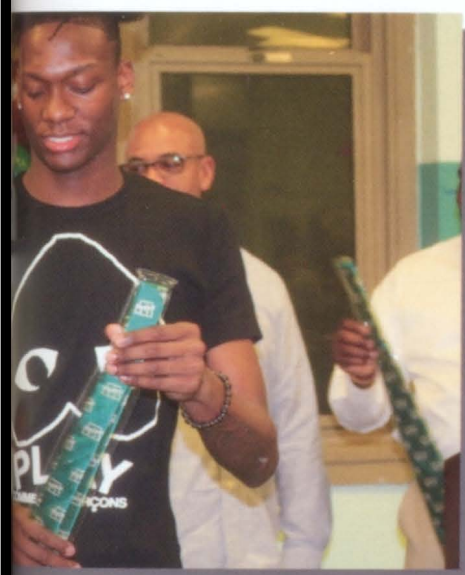
Twin Day

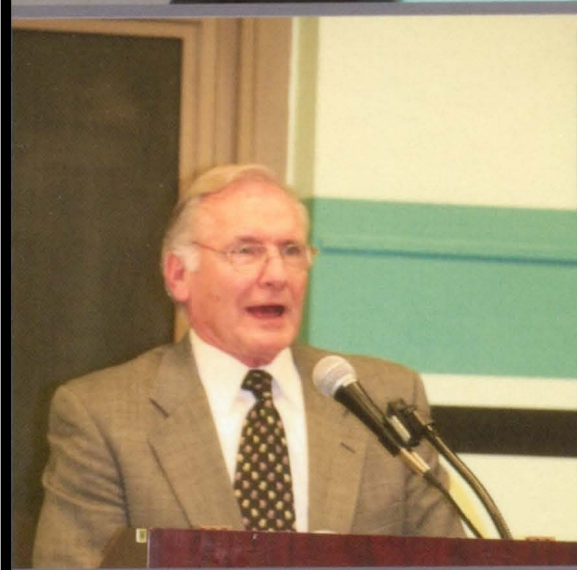




FOOTBALL BANQUET









TAHIR WHITEHEAD DAY

MARCH 23 2018

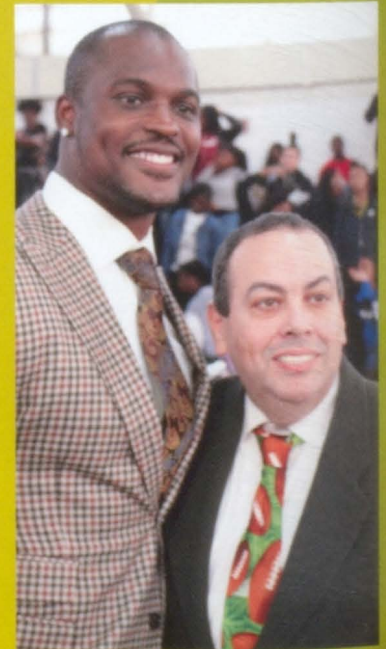
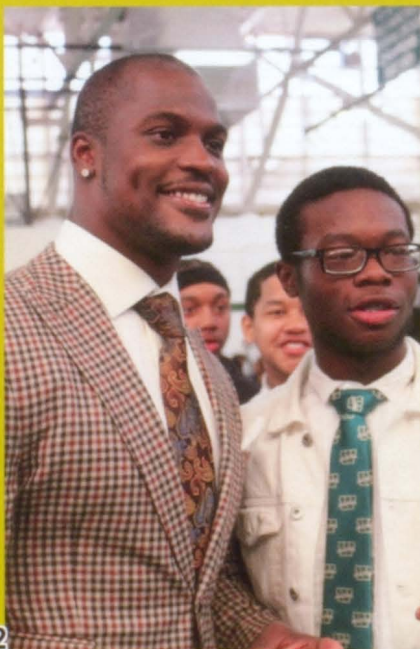
Roughrider For Life

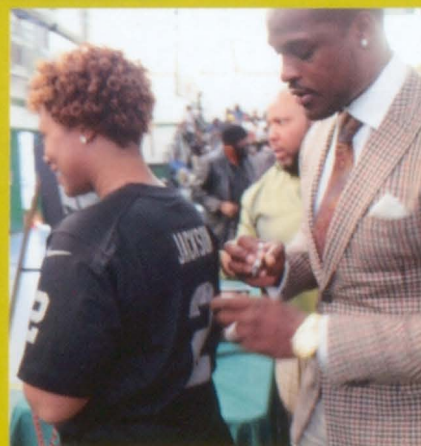
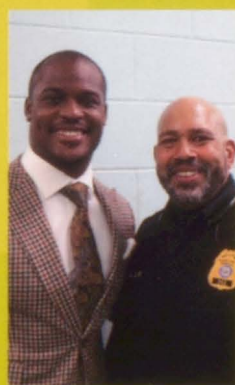


Tahir Whitehead Day was more than a ceremony to retire his jersey and have the school fitness center bear his name. This tribute showcased Whitehead as another jewel in Newark, who persevered and never forgot the city he loves.









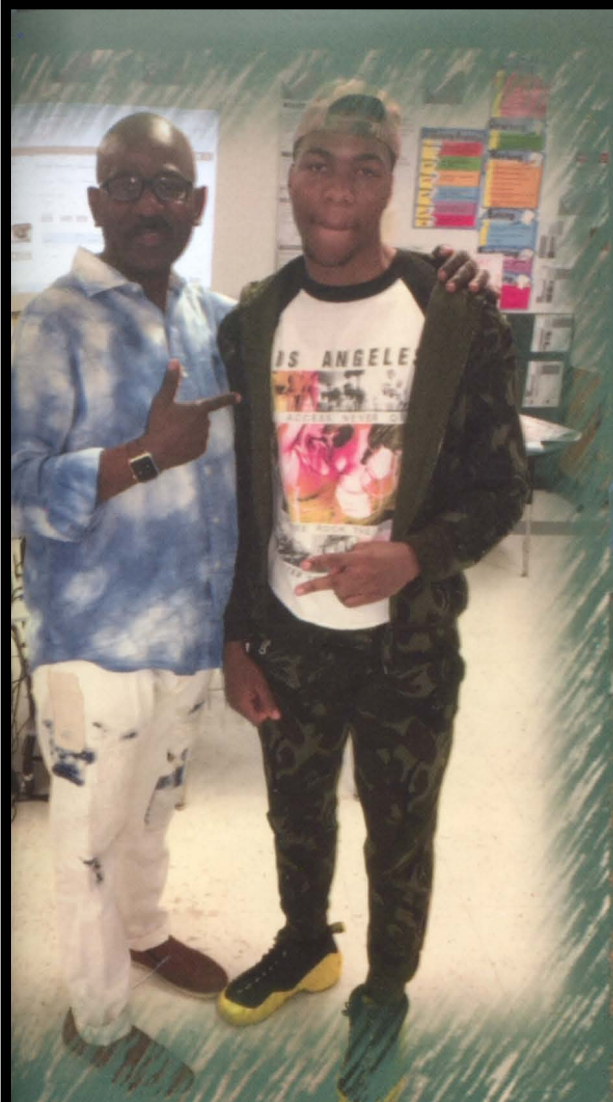
WE ARE

SO COOL!

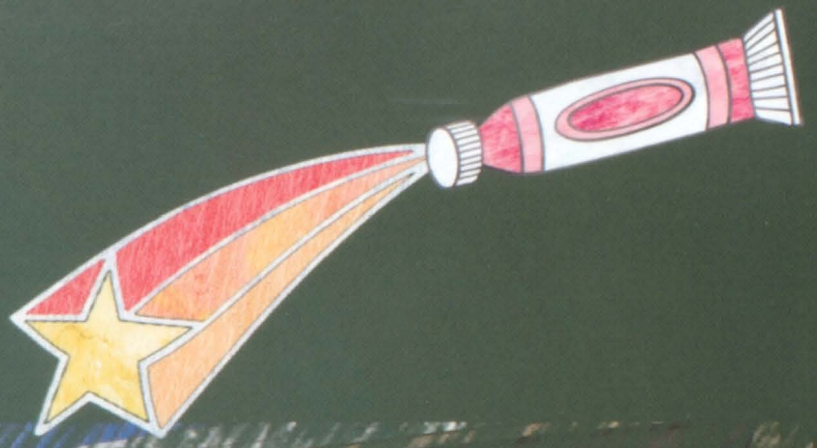


UMDNJ
"Love is
Kind"
outreach
project.
Students
cheered up
patients by
giving out
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animals.

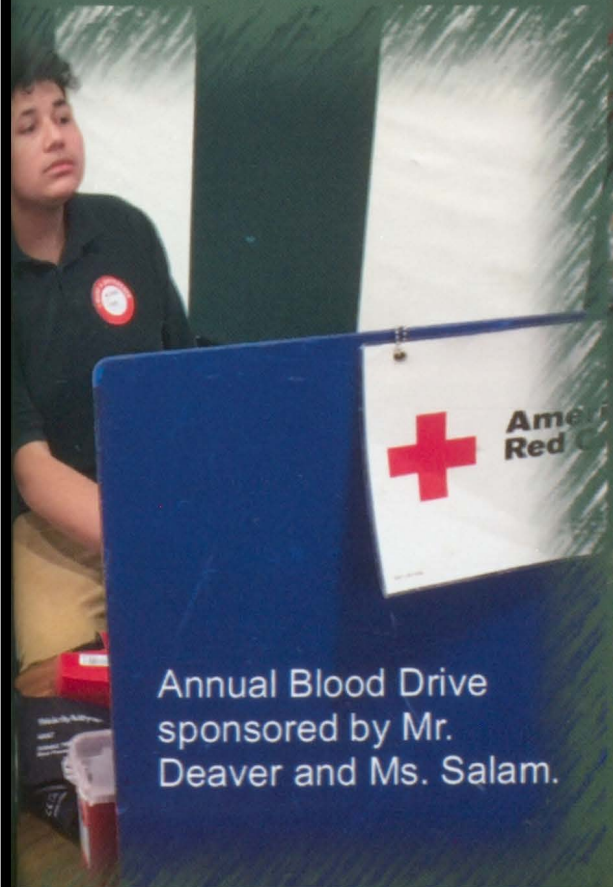




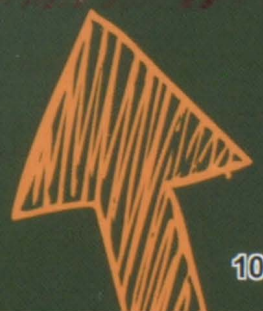
Mr. Deaver appreciates his students who attend school daily.



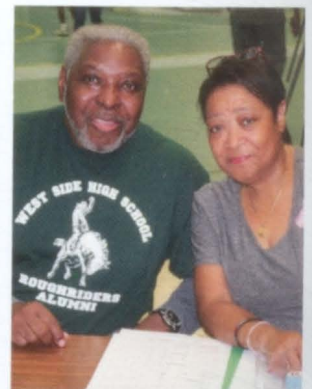
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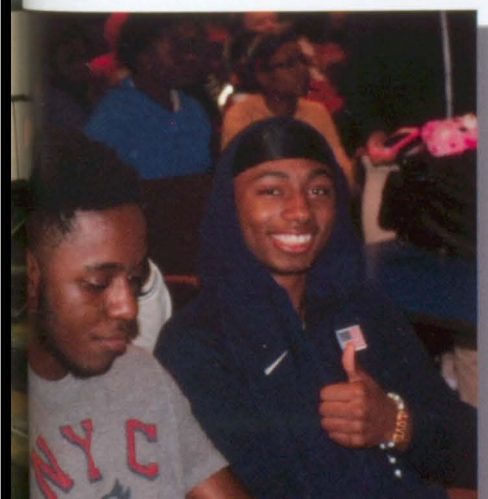


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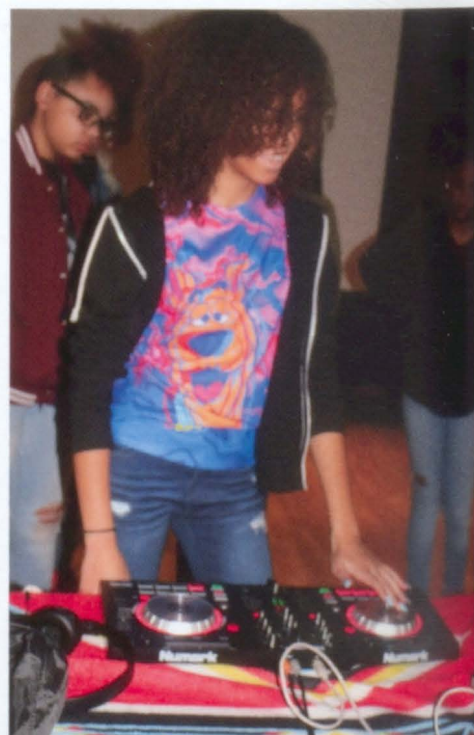
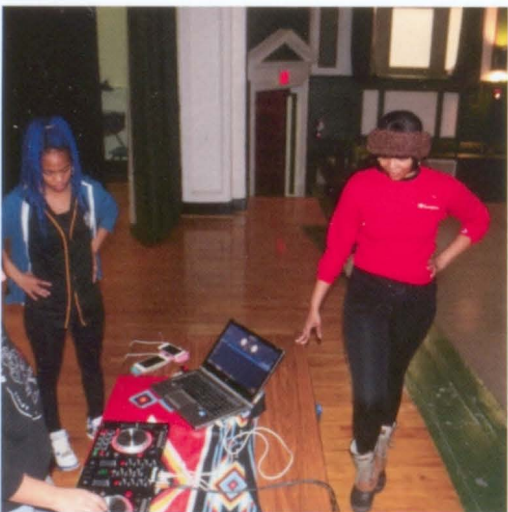
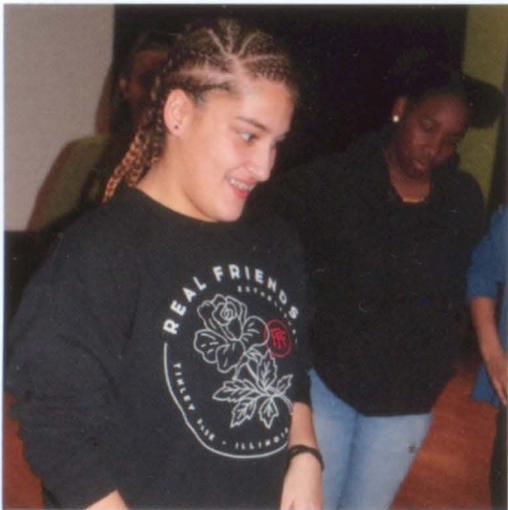


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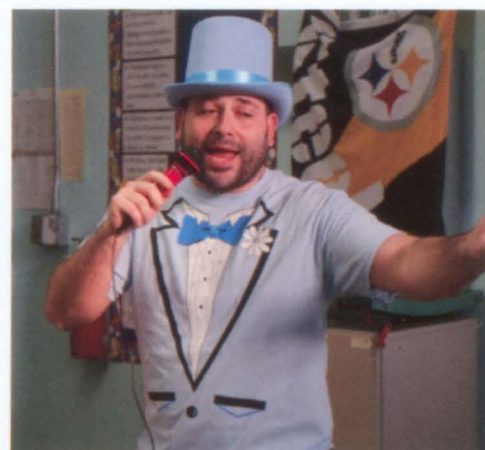
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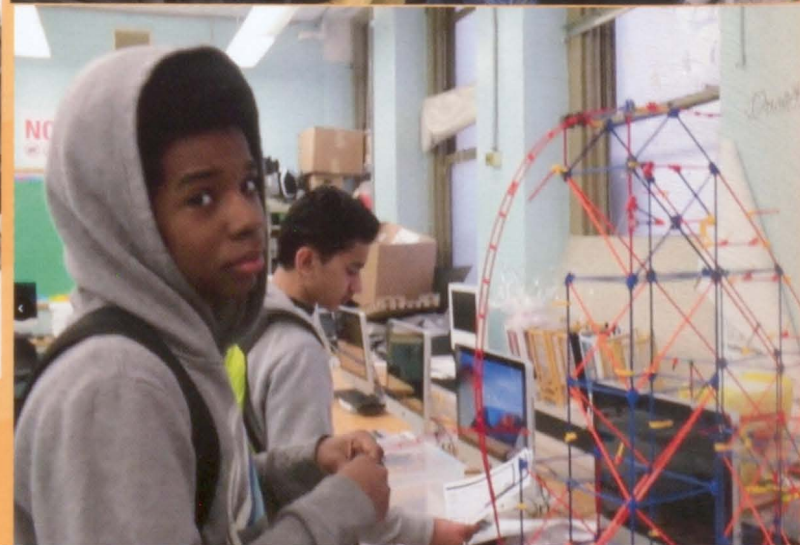




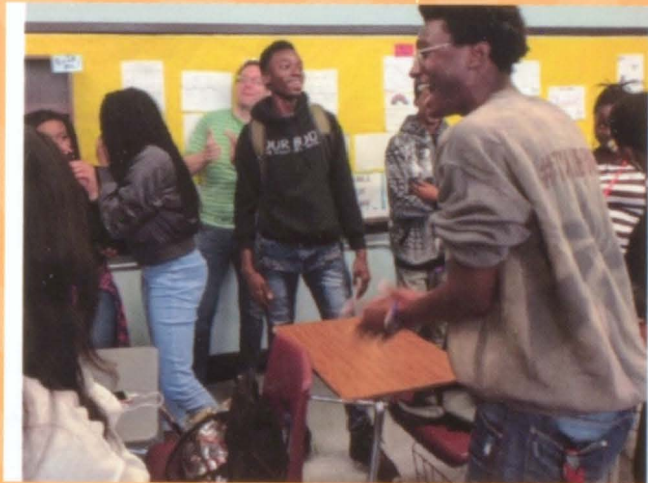
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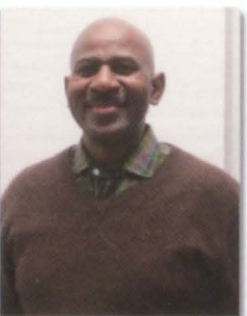
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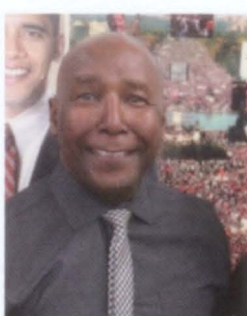
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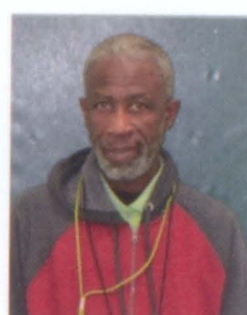
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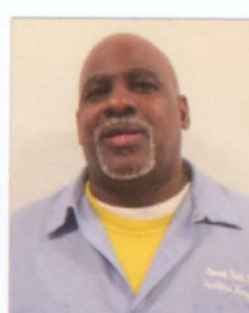
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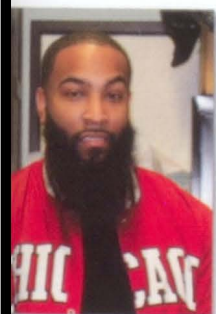
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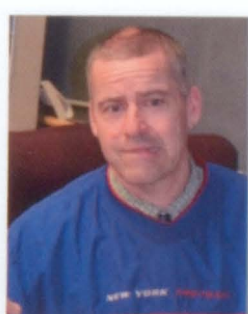
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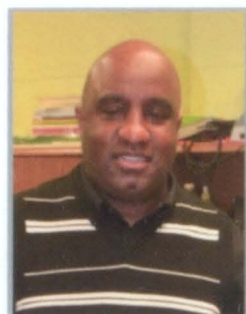
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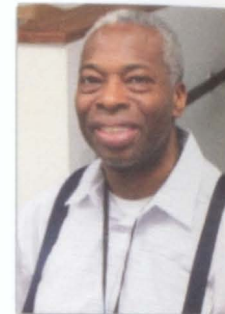
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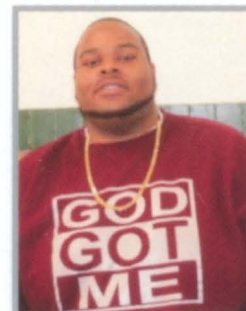
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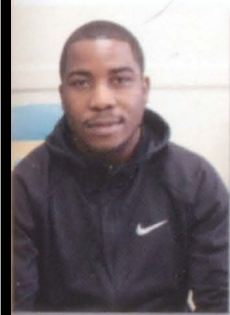
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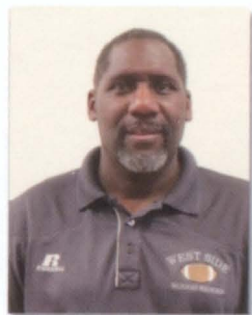
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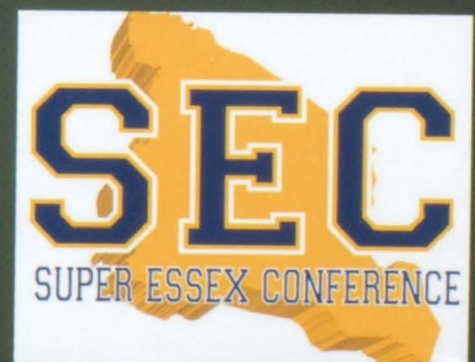




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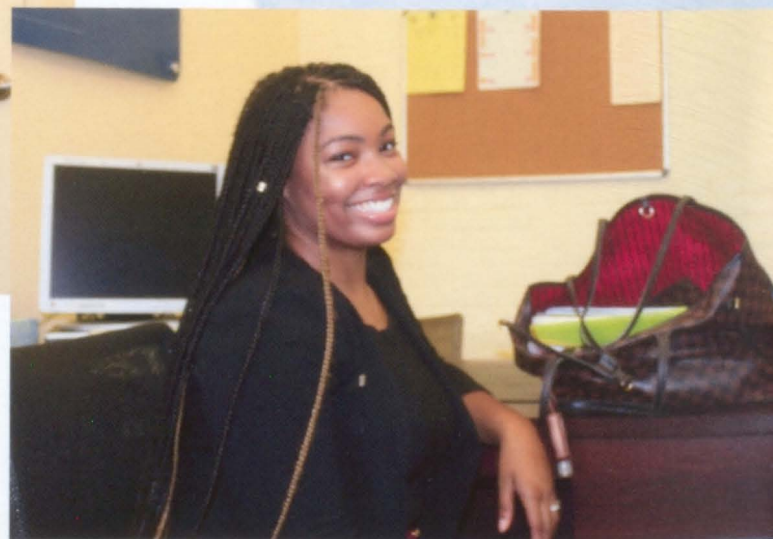
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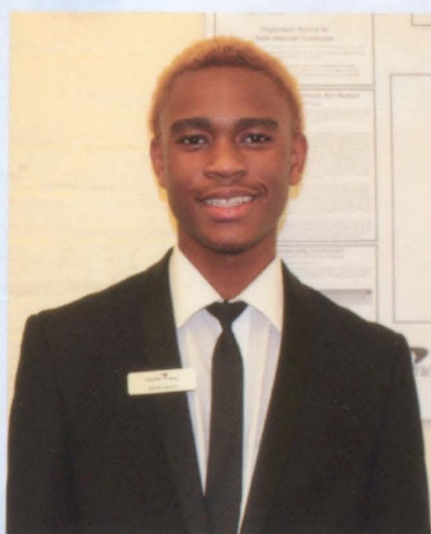
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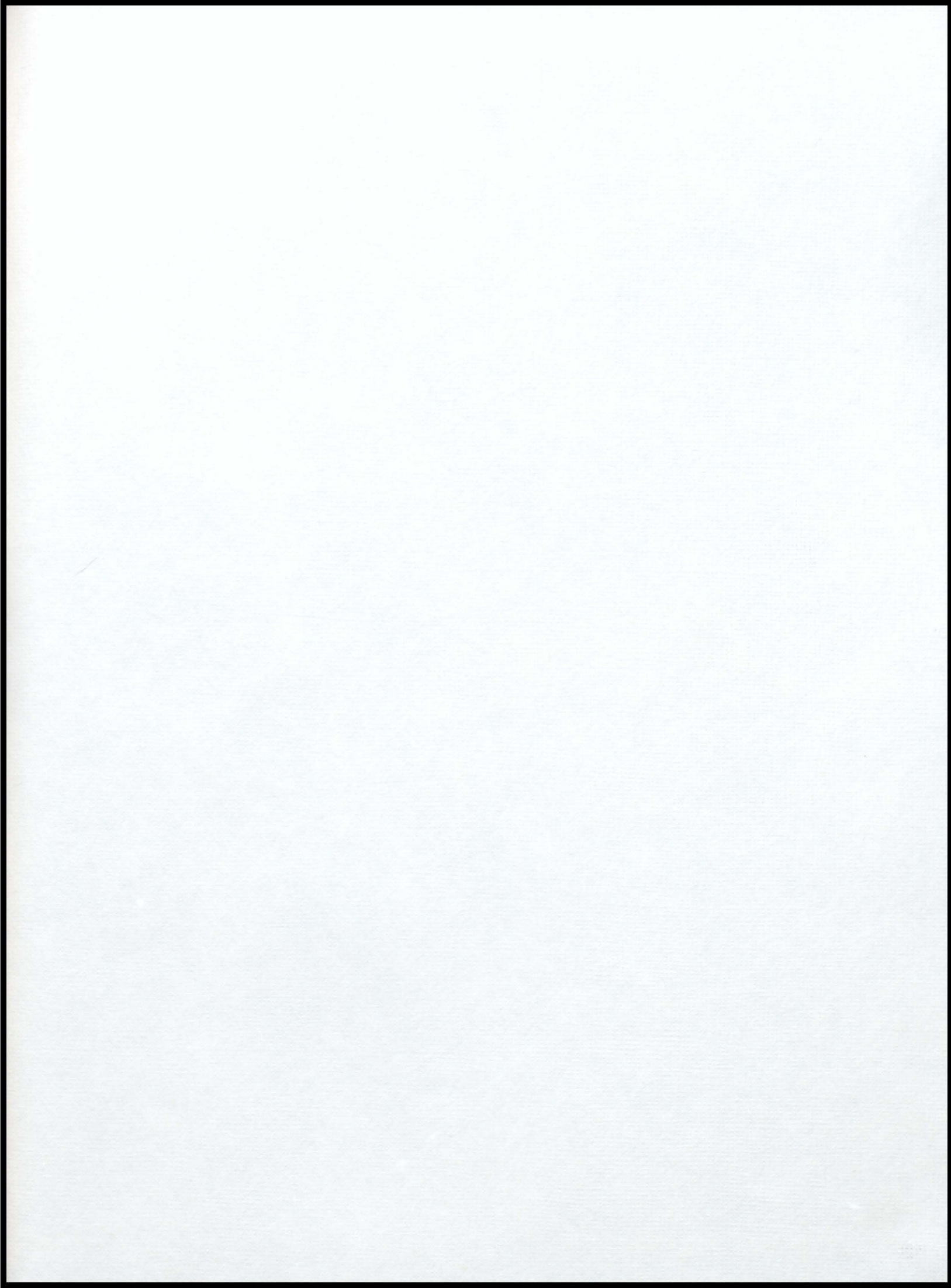


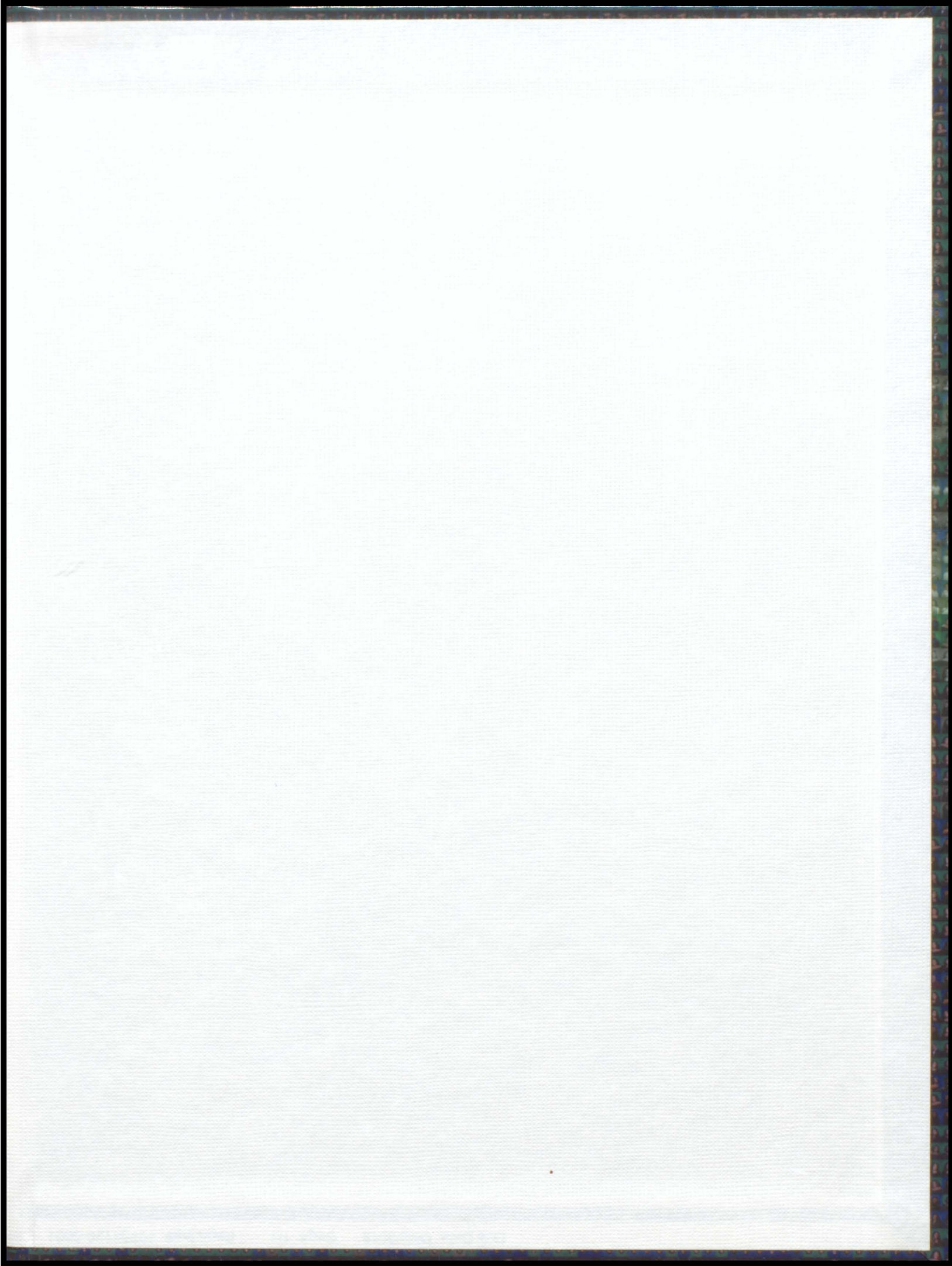
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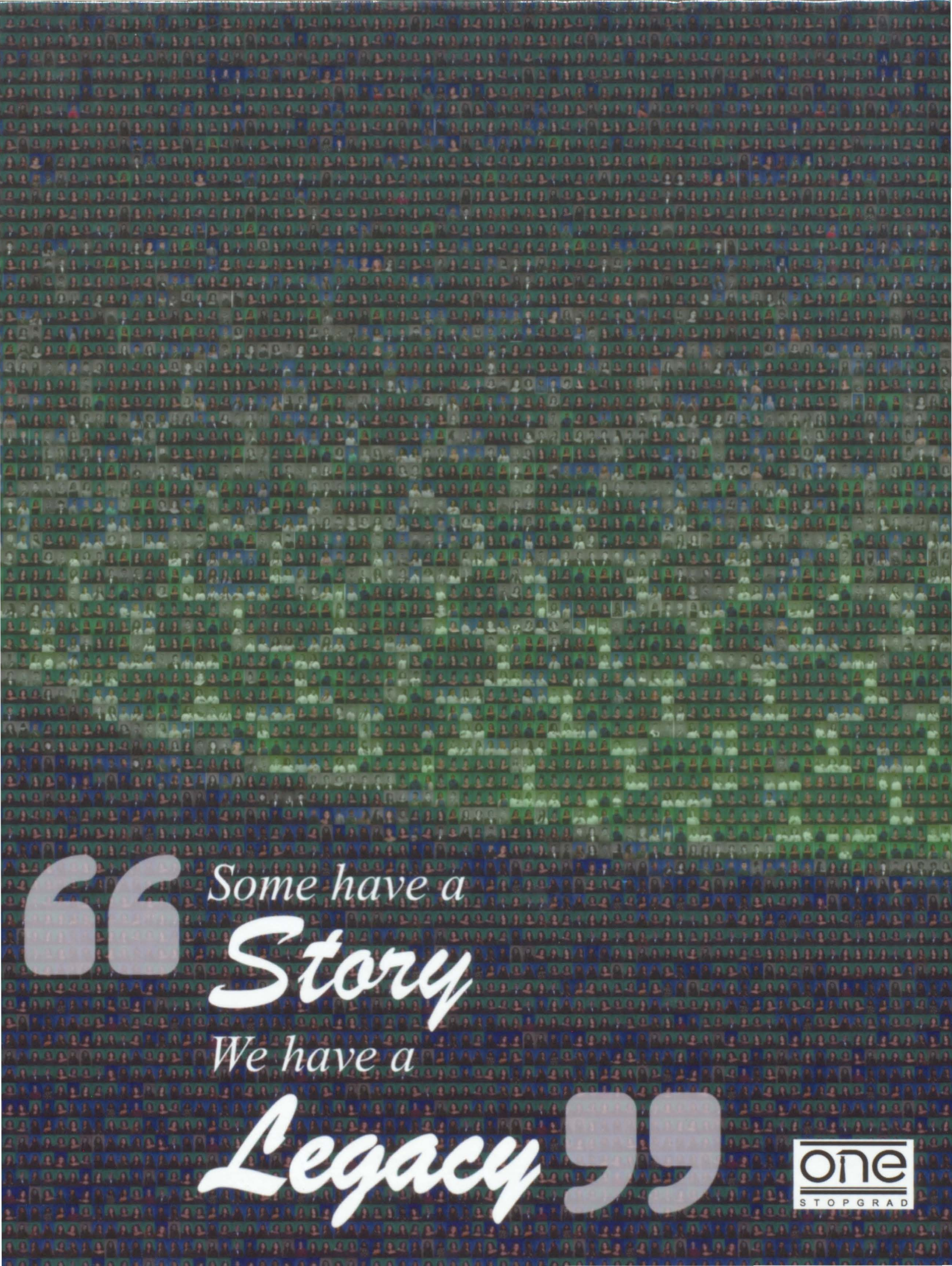


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